

FIRST BATTALION IS PREPARED FOR CHINA

ORDERS RECEIVED AT MANILA YESTERDAY AND OTHER TROOPS HELD IN READINESS.

MORE BRITISH TROOPS

Are Dispatched From India to Canton as Reinforcement.—Russia Denies Reports on Mongolia.

Manila, P. I., Jan. 10.—Orders for the first battalion of the 15th Infantry to leave for China reached yesterday and the expedition was prepared immediately. Major James M. Armes will be in command of the five hundred enlisted men and fifteen officers with whom will be sent a detachment of the hospital corps and a machine gun platoon besides the field service wagon train.

Other troops are being held in readiness here. Brigadier General Frederick Johnston, commander of the department of Luzon, took charge of the arrangements for the expedition.

British Reinforcements. Hong Kong, China, Jan. 10.—A further detachment of Indian troops with field and machine guns was dispatched today from here to Canton to reinforce the contingent of British troops already stationed there.

Russia Denies Report. St. Petersburg, Jan. 10.—An official denial is given today by the foreign office of the reports that the Russian government had addressed demands to the Chinese government in regard to Mongolia or was planning the occupation of Mongolia.

Dr. Sen to Lead. San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 10.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen, president of the new Chinese republic personally will lead an army of 100,000 men against the Manchus ineking.

This announcement was contained in a cable message received today by the Chinese Press. The troops already mobilized at Nanking are part of the opposing army.

LOWER COURT RULING SUSTAINED IN CASE

Supreme Court Decides Against the Appeal Taken on Personal Injury

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—The supreme court dismissed the appeal and sustained the ruling of the circuit court in the case of Joseph Podoy versus the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company. This was an appeal in a case brought for personal injury from an order granting the plaintiff a new trial on the sole ground of error in the judge's charge to the jury. Podoy, a pedestrian, while waiting by the side of the defendant's tracks, came into contact with a fully illuminated car which approached him from the front. He sought to recover damages for injury on the ground of the alleged willful misconduct of the motorman. The jury found the motorman was not guilty of willful misconduct. The trial court gave the plaintiff a new trial upon the sole ground of alleged error in the charge. At the defendant's request the court charged the jury that mere inadvertence or inattention did not amount to willful misconduct. In granting a new trial the trial court reversed this ruling and declared that in his opinion inadvertence might constitute willful misconduct and that the motorman's state of mind was immaterial. It was from this order granting a new trial that the defendant appealed to the supreme court. The accident happened on National avenue in Milwaukee. Podoy sued for \$10,000.

VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE TO ELECT TWO SENATORS.

No Contest for Either Seat.—Democratic Primaries Insure Election.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 10.—The general assembly of Virginia convened today and organized for its regular biennial session. Early in the session will come the election of two United States senators. There will be no contest for either seat, however, as the results of the recent Democratic primary insure the re-election of both Senators Swanson and Martin.

The legislative business of the session promises to be of more than ordinary interest and importance. Overhauling all other measures will be those relating to taxation, the liquor question and the contract system of prison labor.

DRYAN FAVORS REPUBLIC OF CHINESE REVOLUTIONISTS.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.) Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—William J. Bryan, who came here last night to deliver addresses left before religious bodies, left for New York at 10 a. m. today. Before leaving the hotel where he spent the night he was asked to sign his name in the private autograph register. Seeing in it the name of Phineas T. Sturges, uncle of the emperor of China who was in the city in Sept. 1911, Mr. Bryan wrote under it "Wishing to rejoice over the establishment of the republic in China Yours truly, W. J. Bryan."

Iowa Master House Painters

Waterloo, Ia., Jan. 10.—The Iowa Master House Painters and Decorators' Association, which was organized at Duquoin last fall, began its first annual convention in this city today. President J. W. Newburgh of Duquoin presided. The meeting will last three days.

M'GOVERN IN REPLY TO CARY'S ATTACK ON PRESENT SYSTEM

Wisconsin Executive Defends Use of Commissions and Stamps Cary as "Pamphleteering Official."

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 10.—Defending the use of expert commissions in solving industrial and economic problems in Wisconsin, Gov. F. E. McGovern today made his reply to the recent criticisms by State Superintendent C. P. Cary, of the Wisconsin department of education, in an address before the City club here last night. "Concor of public morals" and "pamphleteering official" were terms applied to the state official by the head of the state government. Gov. McGovern spoke on "Recent Progressive Legislation in Wisconsin," reviewing the more important laws passed by the 1911 legislature, which body, he said, redeemed every pledge made by the republican party platform.

Defends University. After paying much attention to the public service rendered by the various state commissions and boards, whose personnel is largely recruited from university men and experts, the governor said:

"Of course there has been criticism. There has been an outcry against 'government by commissions.' To most of these structures no reply has been made, for none is needed. At the present time a persistent effort is being put forth to discredit the practice of seeking aid from the University of Wisconsin in solution of public problems. It is said that if the present policy be continued we shall have a 'university state' instead of a 'state university.' How calamitous this would be has not yet deeply impressed anyone in Wisconsin except the author of the criticism. More recently this same pamphleteering official has deplored the duplicity of politicians who are 'Jeffersonians on the stump' and 'Hamiltonians in the closet.' Though this censor of public morals may not know it, most of us are perfectly willing to plead guilty to this indictment, with leave merely to modify the charge so as to make it follow the Hamilton and Jefferson both on the stump and in the closet. I presume there will be no objection to this change as it makes the charge look worse. The author of this particular article formulates against commissions because they are appointive instead of elective, ignoring the universal experience that expert skill and ability cannot be obtained by the elective process.

He refers to the legislative reference library at Madison, which was the first of its kind in the country and has introduced the methods of science into the business of legislation as a 'bill mill' and in this category I presume he will soon also include the board of public affairs. His special grievance, however, is the prominence given to educated men, particularly university professors, in the service of the state.

Attack on Cary. "Who is this critic? From my description of him I venture to say that no one present could guess his identity in a hundred years. Let me save you the effort of trying by saying that he is the head of the education system of Wisconsin, our state superintendent of public instruction. What a spectacle! Presumably an intelligent educator and the head of the school system of a great state, whose business and training one would think might enable him to exist educationally and functionally in the service of democracy, potentially railing because men of learning and ability have been drafted into the public service. He would have us believe that when Professor Meyer, now a member of the Interstate commerce commission, gave up his place in the University of Wisconsin to take a position on the railroad commission of his native state, the liberties of the people were rocklessly put in jeopardy, that when Professor Adams came to accept membership on the tax commission because he had made a specialty of the subject of taxation, the rights of the free citizens of Wisconsin were wantonly and grossly abused; and that when Prof. John H. Commons resigned his work on University hill to come to the capitol and become a member of the industrial commission, though few men in America are better qualified for the work, the very foundation stones of true democracy began to crumble away. So far as anyone has ever heard, this learned educator has no objection whatever to state employment of any amount of stupid or indifference; but he takes the advantage of an educated, original mind in the public service almost as a personal affront. His estimate of values apparently is not unlike that of the maker of Goodspeed's 'Autograph Catalogue' mentioned in last week's number of Collier's Weekly where the following advertisement was quoted: "See John L. Puglist (autograph letter signed), 1p, 1893, \$30.75. "Elliot, Charles W., president Harvard university (autograph letter signed), 2ps, 1878, \$100.00."

Lauds Compensation Act. Speaking of the new corrupt practices act, Gov. McGovern said: "It is safe to say that proper enforcement of it will forever put an end to the corrupting influence of money in political campaigns." Of the initiative and referendum law he said: "It is a method that combines all the advantages of deliberative assemblies with the requirement that the ultimate sovereignty of the people shall be maintained."

Gov. McGovern devoted considerable time to the workmen's compensation law, "the first valid enactment of this sort put into operation in America." About 200 employers and over 4000 workmen are now under its provisions. He told of one factory which had been closed for three days.

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HALF MILLION NOW IN BURNING RUINS IS BELIEVED SAFE

Police and Detectives Guard Ruins of the Equitable Building.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Jan. 10.—Half a million dollars or more in securities lie in the glowing ruins of the Equitable Building, guarded by one hundred and forty policemen and detectives. The bulk of the Gould, Harriman, Ryan and Belmont estates and the vast securities of the Equitable Life Assurance society are locked in the massive steel vaults buried beneath hundreds of tons of debris. With streams still playing upon the smoldering ruins, laborers are fighting their way to the vaults to ascertain their condition. All the vaults are believed to be intact.

A superficial examination made today indicated that the vaults of the Merchants Safe Deposit Company are intact. The ruins still hold the body of installation chief William Walsh.

BIG LOSS BY FIRE IN CHICAGO TODAY

Creamery Package Company's Building Causing Loss of \$30,000.—Hotel Guests Hurry From Rooms.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Fire in the Creamery Package Manufacturing Company's building in the rear of three hotels at North Clark and Kinzie streets early today, caused hundreds of guests to flee from their rooms and resulted in a loss of \$30,000. None of the hotels was touched by the flames.

ALIENS MAY SECURE DIVORCE IN AMERICA

Denver, Colorado, Judge Grants Divorce to Japanese Woman Who Preferred Charges.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Denver, Col., Jan. 10.—An alien is as much entitled to the benefits of American divorce laws as a native, according to Judge Whitford, who today granted a divorce to Mrs. Zolna Kobayashi. The couple were married in 1902 in Osaka, Japan, and came to the United States in 1904. Mrs. Kobayashi said her husband threatened to kill her.

NAME NEW MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Several Important Changes in French Cabinet Following Resignation of Official Yesterday.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Paris, France, Jan. 10.—Theophile Delcasse, until now minister of marine in the French cabinet, has been offered, and has accepted the post of minister of foreign affairs in succession to Justin de Selves who resigned yesterday after a dramatic scene during the meeting of the committee of the senate on foreign affairs. It is rumored today that other changes may occur in the ministry and speculation is rife as to who will join the cabinet. It was the "cabinet speaker," George Clemenceau, who brought about the ministerial crisis as he has done on many previous occasions. He has been a thorn in the side of Premier Gallies for some time and was aware that there was some dissension between the foreign minister and the premier.

When, during the meeting of the senate committee Premier Caillaux declared there had been secret negotiations between France and Germany on the subject of Morocco, Monsiegnor Clemenceau sprang to his feet and hurled the question at Monsiegnor De Selves:

"Will you confirm the Premier's statement?" After some hesitation on the part of De Selves the foreign minister replied he could not answer the question because he was tied between a double duty—the telling of the truth and the interest of his country.

Later on De Selves informed the premier that he could not remain with him in the cabinet and handed him his resignation.

MANY CORPORATIONS HAVE FILED THEIR STATEMENTS

Revenue Collector F. L. Gilbert Stated That Wisconsin Returns Will Be In On Time This Year.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—"A large number of corporations in this district have already filed their statements required by the corporation tax law," said Collector F. L. Gilbert today, "and I believe all the returns will come in on time this year. Last year between seven and eight hundred corporations failed to make the returns on time and were subject to a fine."

The annual return of net income of corporations making report to the collector of the district on or before March 1, 1912. Last year there was realized from the corporation tax about \$300,000, of which sum Wisconsin contributed about \$600,000.

OLD TIME BONANZA FIGURE DIED IN SAN FRANCISCO

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LORIMER TESTIFIES CONCERNING DENEEN

Declares That Latter Declined to Become Candidate Because of Chicago Newspaper Opposition.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Washington, Jan. 10.—Senator Lorimer testified today regarding Governor Deneen's unfriendly relations with certain Chicago newspaper publishers. Deneen finally had declined to become a candidate for senator because their opposition, he said, and refused to support Speaker Shurtliff for the same reason. Lorimer said that when Deneen's name was presented to the legislature on March 21, he had advised his friends to support him.

Later he said representatives of the Chicago Tribune advanced the candidacy of William J. Calhoun, now U. S. minister to China. "I was asked to support Calhoun and would not."

ALLEGED ROOSEVELT STATEMENTS FALSE

Lawrence Abbott Declares That Ex-President Did Not Say He Would Not Accept Nomination.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Jan. 10.—"The statements that have appeared in certain papers absolutely are without foundation in fact," said Lawrence Abbott acting for Theodore Roosevelt, who declined to receive interviews. The statement was in a reproduction of varying newspaper accounts purporting to quote the Colonel on his attitude toward the presidential nomination as voiced here last night at a private dinner at the Aldine club. The first man to leave the club quoted Col. Roosevelt as saying "I am not a candidate for the presidency, but if nominated I will run." The next man out declared Roosevelt had said, "I am not a candidate. I will not be a candidate." Another man declared that all the Colonel said was, "I am the most misrepresented man in America."

WILL TAKE CHARGE OF ARRESTED MAN

New York Detectives Leave for Winnipeg to Investigate Affairs Connected With Holding of Ross.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Jan. 10.—Two New York detectives left today for Winnipeg to take charge of Charles Ross, arrested there in connection with the robbery last March of Aaron Bancroft, an aged banker. Eight New York men, several of them prominent, are said to be involved in Ross' confession to the Winnipeg police.

RAILWAY COMMISSION FAVORS RAILROAD IN ITS DECISION

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—The petition of Sheboygan citizens for a new crossing on the Lake Shore and Fond du Lac division of the North-Western road near Thirtieth street in Sheboygan was dismissed by the rate commission today. The commission holding that the power to order the opening of public thoroughfares other than to divert a highway for the purpose of separating grades rests with the city council.

SATURDAY CLUB TO DISCUSS WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE VOTE

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—Woman suffrage will be discussed pro and con at this week's dinner of the Saturday Lunch club of this city. Mrs. Crystal Eastman Benedict of Milwaukee will speak in favor of the franchise, and it is expected that Mrs. Frances Gundry of Cleveland, Ohio, representing the National Anti-Woman Suffrage association, will speak in opposite vein. Mrs. Joseph Jastrow, president of the Madison Woman's club, will preside.

STEEL CORPORATION NOT ABLE TO FILL ORDERS.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Jan. 10.—Announcement was made today by the U. S. steel corporation that the unfilled tonnage on the books for the month ending Dec. 31, 1911 was 5,884,761 tons. The unfilled tonnage on the books of the company for the month ending Nov. 31, 1911, is 5,141,955 tons.

An Autobiography Of Business

The Want Columns are an autobiography of business—there are no editors do have not rubricated initials to confuse the eye and confound the purse. The Want Ad columns are a daily reminder to the worker that there is a place waiting for him. The Wants are the daily reminder to the investor and business man that there is a chance for gainful transactions.

The Want Columns are the calendar of the real estate man and the diary of the landlord. The householder finds the Want Columns a ready reference. The Wants are the dictionary of opportunity for the worker.

The wants are all worth careful consideration. Want ads, 1c per word when charged.

SOME TESTIMONY IS ORDERED TAKEN OUT

Judge Carpenter Makes Ruling on Record of Letters by J. Ogden Armour.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Chicago, Jan. 10.—United States District Judge Carpenter struck from the record in the trial of the ten Chicago publishers charged with criminal violation of the Sherman law today certain papers and letters bearing notations purporting to be in the hand writing of J. Ogden Armour one of the defendants.

The ruling was on the motion of the defense who contended that the presentation of the evidence to the jury without definite connecting links would be prejudicial to the defendants.

Other papers bearing similar notations purporting to be in the hand writing of other defendants were permitted by the court to remain in the record but the court ruled out Jerome H. Pratt's testimony identifying the hand writing.

THANKS TO RUSSIA FOR PERSIAN WORK

Subjects Reading Near Caspian Sea Send Dispatch of Gratitude for Suppression of Anarchy.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

St. Petersburg, Russia, Jan. 10.—Some groups of Russian subjects, Armenians and Muscovites, are sending telegrams today to the emperor of Russia thanking him for the restoration of order by his troops after four years of anarchy in Persia. The conditions which have prevailed during that period had, said the dispatch, ruined commerce and endangered life and property.

COAL MINERS' STRIKE THREATENS ENGLAND

Nine Hundred Thousand Voting on Question of Inaugurating a Nation Wide Stoppage of The Mines.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

London, Jan. 10.—Nine hundred thousand coal miners now are voting whether there shall be a national stoppage of the coal mines in the United Kingdom. Early reports in regard to the voting on different coal fields forecast an overwhelming majority in favor of a strike.

VILLA NOVA COLLEGE MENAGED BY FLAMES

Fire Which Started in St. Rita's Hall May Spread to Other Buildings in College Group.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—A fire started in St. Rita's hall at Villa Nova college twelve miles from this city at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon and fears are expressed for the safety of the other buildings in the college group.

PLAN GENERAL ORGANIZATION THROUGHOUT WHOLE COUNTRY

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—One of the avowed objects of the University La Follette club, organized Monday night at the University of Wisconsin, is to extend its activities to other colleges and universities. It is said that efforts of the club will be directed to the formation of similar organizations at other institutions of learning. At the next meeting resolutions for adoption will be presented by a committee composed of John A. Dorney, Stevens Point; Edwin E. White, Watertown; and William Shoen, Janesville. Hal R. Martin of Stevens Point is president; Carl Noprd of Westby, vice president; and R. M. Heiser, Madison, secretary-treasurer.

DEMOCRAT CAPTURES THE OLD REPUBLICAN STRONGHOLD

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Hutchinson, Kan., Jan. 10.—Returns from yesterday's seventh district congressional election practically completed today show the election of George A. M. Neely Democrat to succeed E. L. Madison, by a majority of about 1,500. Supporters of Champ Clark speaker of the national house who spoke at the convention which nominated Neely are jubilant. They predict the speaker will get Kansas delegation to the next congress.

The "big second" district has been republican since 1900. It is one of the famous political battle grounds for Kansas. Populism first flourished there.

DELEGATES NAMED FOR LOUISVILLE CONFERENCE

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—Governor McGovern has appointed the following delegates to the annual conference of the National Child Labor committee at Louisville, Ky., January 25-28: A. L. Buckmaster, Kenosha; Edward W. Frost, Milwaukee; A. J. Hutton, Waukegan; H. H. Jacobs, Mrs. Howard Van Wyck, Milwaukee.

PIONEER OSHKOSH MILLER DIED, AGED SIXTY-SIX

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

APPLETON SUFFERS BY SERIOUS FLOODS; RIVER NOW RISING

Middle Dam Blown Out by Dynamite to Prevent Serious Loss of Property.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Appleton, Jan. 10.—The second dam known as the "middle dam" in the Fox river here, has frozen up again and dynamite was used this morning to break up the ice.

The broken ice got underneath the frozen surface ice, however, and has forced the water up several feet.

The power plant of the Wisconsin Light Heat and Power Company has been closed and about thirty manufacturing plants have been forced to shut down on account of lack of power. The water is still rising and is four inches higher than it was at seven o'clock this morning.

The back water has flooded the pit of the traction company and is rising at the rate of about four inches an hour despite the efforts of a crew of sixty men who have been on duty for twenty-four hours handling the broken ice.

All the interurban cars are standing at different points on the line where they were when the power was cut off. The thermometer registers twenty degrees below zero.

The water is already six feet above normal and all the paper mills are slightly flooded but they have suffered no serious damage as yet and are still operating.

The railway companies have been asked to dynamite their bridges as the ice has formed under them making a solid jam and raising the water on the upriver side two and one-half feet higher than on the down side.

Every newspaper plant in the city is closed down on account of the lack of power.

STORM REPORTS ARE VERY ENCOURAGING

General Let up, But Loss of Life is Reported in Several Districts.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 10.—A snow slide swept down upon a rotary pool near Culbuck, Mont., last night and several men are said to have been killed. A great storm is raging in that district and many telegraph wires are down. Details of the accident are not available.

Trains Late. Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 10.—Train No. 1 on the Pere Marquette, which left Monday midnight and was due here at 6:30 yesterday morning reached the union station here 24 hours late. The train was stalled in snow drifts near East Saginaw all day yesterday and had to be shovelled out. Fires were practically extinguished and with a lack of food there was considerable suffering among the passengers before the relief was effected.

Vessels Safe. New York, Jan. 10.—Wireless dispatches received here today tell of the safe passage across the Gulf Stream of the United States torpedo boat destroyer, Itasca, en route with other naval craft to Guantanamo but now apparently heading for Norfolk. No word has been received here of the torpedo boat destroyer McCall the only one of the torpedo fleet not reported since the little vessel was scattered by the heavy weather off the Atlantic coast.

PARIS IS SCENE OF SERIOUS TRADE RIOT

Vicinity of the Palace of Justice is Center for the Storm of Disgruntled Workers.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Paris, France, Jan. 10.—A series of violent riots occurred in the vicinity of the palace of justice this afternoon and resulted in a large number of rioters and several policemen being injured.

The demonstration was brought by the trial of several trade unionists in the correctional court of the Seine on a charge of distributing circulars of a revolutionary character to soldiers serving with their regiments.

THREE CHILDREN ARE BORN ON THREE SUCCESSIVE DAYS.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 10.—Mrs. Herman Carlson, gave birth to one boy each day for three successive days. The third youngster a girl was born today. The other two are boys. All three apparently are healthy.

TEXAS FAMILIES FLEE FROM THE MENINGITIS EPIDEMIC.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Austin, Texas, Jan. 10.—Fifty families mostly women and children seeking a haven from the meningitis epidemic arrived here today from North Texas. A large number of families is said to have passed through enroute to San Antonio where the disease has not appeared.

SONS OF VETERANS ARE PRESENTED WITH FLAG

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE)

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—Members of the family of the late General Henry Harden of this city last night presented Henry Harden Post, Sons of Veterans, Madison, with a silk banner Gen. Harden assisted in the capture of Jefferson Davis in May, 1865, and received half of the reward offered by the union government. Later he was internal revenue collector, assemblyman and holder of other offices in Wisconsin. His death occurred here in 1900.

CARNEGIE ON STAND CRITICISED BANKS AND PRESENT LAWS

Appears Before the Stanley Investigating Committee to Answer All Questions.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Washington, Jan. 10.—When Andrew Carnegie took the witness stand before the steel investigating committee today, he furnished the committee with a statement regarding steel industry conditions and told of his career in the business from the outset.

He told of his connection with several companies which led up to the formation of the Carnegie Steel Co., Ltd.

Mr. Carnegie denounced the banking system of the United States as a disgrace to civilization.

"When panics come in this country," he said, "they are due to the fact that we have the worst banking system in the world. Panics spread ruin. If the bill now before congress is passed you will have something to prevent panics."

Mr. Carnegie, in a written statement filed with the committee, pointed out that the steel committee's task had arisen from the fact that the law of competition in business has seemed recently to be impaired in certain fields, notably those of natural oil, steel and tobacco.

Mr. Carnegie explained how the Carnegie Steel company had purchased five-sixths of the Oliver Mumfry company's stock in the mines. Mr. Stanley asked why the final sixth was purchased on a valuation basis of seven million dollars for the whole trust though originally the company was capitalized at only \$1,200,000.

Mr. Carnegie expressed surprise at this question. "At any rate," he explained, "we would have paid eighty-five million dollars for the whole trust. If that is true what fools we were to sell our property to the United States Steel Corporation."

It was then explained that the seventeen million dollar valuation basis was that of the whole trust and not the sixth. Even then Mr. Carnegie said that if such a sum as indicated by those figures was paid he was surprised that he was "such a fool to sell our property to the steel corporation on the basis of \$430,000,000."

Then, after a moment, Mr. Carnegie turned to the chairman. "My friend," he said, "you will have to ask somebody who knows about those figures. I never heard of them before."

EXPEDITION TO TOP OF MOUNT M'KINLEY

Prof. Herschel C. Parker and Party Will Leave New York City Soon on Expedition Tour.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Jan. 10.—With the summit of Mt. McKinley as its goal, an expedition headed by Prof. Herschel C. Parker, will leave New York within the next few days, possibly tomorrow. The expedition will have as its station for supplies a trading post on the Sustuta river, about 150 miles from the base of the mountain.

Fifty hundred pounds of pemmican, 50 pounds of alcohol for fuel above the timber line, tea, sugar, rice, dried fish, bacon and rice will be taken on into the wilderness. The party will be clad in wolf skins and soft smoke-tanned moccasins with spiked ice creepers.

So intense is the cold that mercury freezes and to take the altitude Prof. Parker will carry a hypsometer, by which he hopes to be able to determine the atmospheric pressure at the boiling point.

Prof. Parker will be accompanied by Belmont Browne, of the Parker-Browne expedition of 1910, Merl Lavozy, of Seattle, and Arthur Aten, of Valdez Alaska, both experts in handling dog teams will also accompany the party.

They will take two dogs on the final dash. One of these teams have been under Mr. Aten's training for a year and is composed of the pick of the northern country.

"I expect to be in the snow three or four months," Mr. Parker said today. After leaving Takelaka, an Indian camp not far from our base of supplies, we expect to make thirty miles a day for the first 100 miles. The final dash to the base of Mt. McKinley will be hard and ten miles will be about the average. It is a hard trip but I think that there is a chance that we will reach the summit."

FIX VALUATION AT OVER THREE MILLION FIGURE

Watch This Space
Something interesting to follow.

DJ LUBY

Wednesday at the Motion Picture Shows
ROYAL: Vaudeville afternoon and evening. Change of program each Monday and Thursday. Today—Jimmie Dood, eccentric singing and musical act. Special Miss Hellmer, eccentric wonder. Pictures—"The Daughter of the Clown," "Capt. Brand's Wife," a Social drama.

LYRIC: Music and illustrated songs, by Mrs. Knott. Pictures—"An Island Comedy," an Edison film. "A Puritan Courtship," a Pathé historical drama.

MAJESTIC: Complete change of program every day.

MAJESTIC THEATRE
Showing the Only Pictures of the **Stoughton Ski Jump**

Also pictures of Janesville and nearby cities.
Music by Miss Strampo.
Drums and effects by Mr. Greeler.
Above program shown Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Hot Tomato Bouillon
nourishing and tasteful.
10c.

Razook's Candy Palace
The House of Purity.

SWEATER COATS
Perfectly Dry Cleaned

JANESVILLE CHEMICAL
STEAM DYE WORKS,
C. F. Brockhaus, Prop.

GRAHAM CRACKER

IN THE GREEN PACKAGE
Served with soup

BREMNER BROS.
PUFF OYSTER

Is a delight.
A dainty, white, crisp, feathery light, slightly salted cracker of high quality.
Ask your dealer for it and for

MELO

The delicious confection, and for
Kenwood Sugar Water
Any of these will influence you to

SAY BREMNER BROS. BISCUIITS

PORTER

Porter, Jan. 10.—Miss Ida Murkin of Fulton, and Miss Luitvelt of Edgerton, were guests of Miss Olive Green on Sunday.

Harold Green is attending business college in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Egan sent out invitations for a card party on last Friday evening in honor of Mr. Egan's brother, who is visiting here. Owing to the inclemency of the weather only a small crowd was present. Mrs. Thos. Egan and Mr. Fred Egan were first honors, and all had a fine time.

Joe Egan expects to return to his home in Pierre, S. D., this week, after spending the holidays with relatives here.

Thermometers range from 15 to 25 degrees below zero, nearly all last week, and are still below the zero mark. The coldest weather in a number of years.

There is to be a box social in the 12th schoolhouse on Friday evening, Jan. 12. Proceeds to go to the cyclone relief fund. Everyone is invited.

Miss Eva Sellmeier of Janesville, who is teaching in Fulton, was the guest of Frank Doss family from Friday until Sunday.

POULTRY BUSINESS FOR THE CITY MAN

LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE LIVING IN THE CITIES INTERESTED IN POULTRY.

FARMERS NEGLECTFUL

Have Been Slow to Improve Stock Not Realizing Many Advantages—Attention to Details.

The Back Lotter's Chance.
By E. J. Holt.

When poultry is mentioned, everyone thinks of the poultry farm, as a rule. But in answer to the question—Who are the people who keep chickens and where do they live?—the answer will have to be—they are the city owners. These are the ones who keep the industry alive and make it possible for the few large poultry farms to exist. It is the city poultry raiser who reads the poultry papers and visits the poultry shows. He is the man who buys pure bred stock and eggs for hatching at fancy prices. It is a large interest in this interest in the city. According to some figures, furnished by that leading writer on poultry, L. E. Koyser, we learn the following: In the city of Buffalo, N. Y., 10,000 people keep chickens and in Birmingham, N. Y., a city of less than 50,000 people, 250 permits were granted for the erection of poultry houses. In Sonoma county, Cal., there are more homes that there are people in the whole state. The Philo system and the no yard plan have opened up great possibilities for the back lot raiser of poultry. Everywhere we go we find choice specimens of the feathered tribe, being kept on the table scraps and what little feed is necessary for them.

Farmers Not Poultry Men.
Men of every walk in life will be found at the poultry show. The bank clerk is as interested in the production of eggs as is the doctor, lawyer, mechanic, teacher, or laborer. Among this interested assemblage will be found but few farmers. They will tell you that the wife can care for the poultry but they do not know that for the same amount of capital invested that the poultry will bring them larger returns than any other branch of farm products. It is for this reason that the farm flock today is still the mongrel flock while that of the city lot man is of the pure-bred type. The farmer will make a great effort to increase the quality of the horse, cattle and the grains, by breeding only well bred stock but when it comes to the chickens, this is a different matter. There are many of the farmers however who are realizing the advantage of pure bred stock even in poultry and as a result—the "Spin Money" has increased so much in the past few years that the poultry keep the house, "it's every day." That this is not a theory but a fact can easily be proven by a more thorough investigation.

Poultry keeping is a recreation for the majority of the back lotters. They are men who need the outdoor exercise and the work with poultry fills the bill. Some of the back lotters look to the fancy for their revenue, while others prefer the commercial egg. The fancy will produce the greater returns but as a rule the commercial egg producer will endure the longer. This fact is true because breeds are taken up as fads for a few years and then dropped for some other, whereas eggs and meat production will continue as long as there are people to consume them. Many who keep but a few chickens do so for the fresh eggs and meat for their own use, but there are always some fowls to sell and when these are good stock it is no hard matter to dispose of them for a price that will go a long way toward paying the keep of the rest of the flock.

Interest Is Necessary.
Many of our leading breeders of today started on a back lot with only a few birds but by carefully studying the breed, soon realized their chance they had and enlarged their plant, until in some cases it became a farm of 100 to 250 acres devoted to producing large numbers of good birds each year and selling them for high prices. Of course everyone who has chickens does not intend to make this a special study but in order to be successful on the back lot, with fowls, he must at least take an active interest in the work.

Those who are going into the business and those who are in it must remember that it is no play game but it requires a constant attention to details. In fact this business is one of small details and if you are afraid to look after the little things, in any line of business, you better think twice before buying the fowls to make the start. The man who thinks he knows it all, before he starts in, will live to see the day when he will have a great deal to learn. It is not a business that can be learned in a day or a year but it requires a great deal of careful study.

The market is an important factor in determining the profits that are to be made. The reason so many back lot poultrymen are getting good returns is because they have their market right at home. Their product is always in demand and they can secure the best prices. The quality of the product is well known and therefore they can secure a much better price than the local store dealer asks for the same kind of product. The store goods as a rule are of an inferior quality, but the grower must take what he can get, and as these goods he secures cannot be rolled upon for freshness they will not be purchased if fresh goods are to be had.

Choose at Poultry Show.
The man who can keep ten to twenty hens will find that there is a great deal of pleasure in it derived from them. By raising to start with having the best of stock to start with this back lotter can produce birds that will not only supply him with all the eggs and meat he wishes for his own table but he will be able to go into the show room and bring home the blue ribbons from the breeder who has a few hundred birds to choose from. A few birds well kept will be a great deal better than a large number poorly kept.

RED HOT SALAMANDER SET HOUSE ON FIRE

Residence of Christ Johnson at Corner of Ringold and Second Streets Badly Damaged.

The new dwelling of Christ Johnson at the corner of Ringold and Second streets was damaged by fire yesterday to the extent of from two hundred to two hundred and fifty dollars, by the "Red Hot Salamander." This, which is heated by kerosene, was a chimneyless stove burning coke, was being used to dry the fresh plaster on the walls upstairs. It became red hot and the floor beneath it not being properly protected it burned a hole through and fell to the first floor, setting fire to both the first and second floors.

An alarm was sent in from box 36, a block distant as soon as the fire was discovered, and all the house wagons, from downtown and the fire patrol responded. They made a quick run to the scene in spite of the cold and hard climb up Milwaukee street hill.

The fire had made considerable progress when they arrived and it required an hour's work and the use of all the chemicals on hand before it could be extinguished. Seven hundred feet of hose laid to the house from the corner of Ringold and Court streets but it was not found necessary to use water.

The Johnson dwelling was still in the hands of the contractor, William McGowan, who was at work on the interior finish.

INSTALL OFFICERS TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Mary Dunwiddie Acted as Installing Officer at W. R. C. Ceremony at Odd Fellows' Hall.

W. H. Sargent, W. R. C. No. 21 held installation of officers Tuesday afternoon at Odd Fellows' hall. The following officers were installed by Mrs. Mary Dunwiddie, who presided as installing officer.

President—Florence D. Watson.
Sr. Vice Pres.—Ada Walker.
Sr. Vice Pres.—Jennie Lester.
Secretary—Anna Morse.
Treasurer—Emma Winslow.
Chaplain—Agnes Corson.
Patriotic Instructor—Grace Cary.
Press Correspondent—Marie Watson.
Conductor—Helen Miller.
Assistant Conductor—Emma Knauth.
Guard—Fannie Loucks.
Assistant Guard—Jennie Turnbull.
Color Bearer No. 1—Katherine McRohan.
Color Bearer No. 2—Katherine Rowley.
Color Bearer No. 3—Henrietta Corson.
Color Bearer No. 4—Myra Case.

RECEIVER IS NAMED FOR MILTON CONCERN

F. C. Burpee Given Thirty Days to Effect a Sale of Property of Milton Gas Works.

By the mutual agreement of the parties, represented by their attorneys, in the case of E. C. McGowan versus Wm. P. Marguard, et al., officers in the Milton and Milton Junction Co-Operative Gas Company, against whom an injunction was brought by the plaintiff to refrain from selling the stock of the company, F. C. Burpee of this city was appointed receiver for the company to effect a sale of the company's plant within thirty days and report to Judge Grimm. He shall furnish a bond for \$500.

Attorney Chas. E. Pierce argued for the defendants, before Judge Grimm yesterday afternoon on a motion for the dissolution of the injunction proceedings. Attorney L. E. Gietlin for the plaintiff.

Paul Baker was granted a divorce from her husband, Fred J. Baker of this city on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. H. L. Maxwell was the plaintiff's attorney, and L. A. Avery appeared for the defendant. Attorney A. M. Fisher appeared as divorce counsel. Hattie Walsh was granted a divorce from Emmert Walsh at the session of the court yesterday afternoon.

The foreclosure action of Andrew M. McLehla vs. Geo. H. Parker was heard yesterday and an order of foreclosure granted, the defendant not appearing. In the case of Frank Kohn vs. C. J. Woodbury a stay of procedure was extended for sixty days.

MASTER EDWARD JONES IS SURPRISED BY HIS FRIENDS

Three Course Supper Was Served and Evening Spent Pleasantly With Games and Music.

Last evening Master Edward Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones, 411 Madison street, was given a surprise party by twenty-five of his little friends who sat down at 6:30 o'clock to a three-course dinner and passed the evening very enjoyably with games and music.

Many a Mother has seen her delicate child grow strong and sturdy on

Grape-Nuts

FOOD

It is rich in the natural food elements of wheat and barley, including Phosphate of Potash—the vital tissue salt of brain and nerve matter—frequently lacking in the ordinary diet.

A regular morning dish of Grape-Nuts with cream is an ideal breakfast for putting rosy color and strength into little folks.

Children like the natural, sweet taste of Grape-Nuts food and thrive upon it.

"There's a Reason"

Postum Cereal Company, Ltd., Battle Creek, Michigan.

LINK AND PIN

C. & N. W. ASSIGNMENT OF ENGINEERS CULMINATED THIS MORNING.

Letter from F. W. Peterson, M. M. Names Men Who Will Take Thirteen of the Runs.

Assignments of engineers made were posted this morning at the roundhouse and fourteen men were named on the list. They ran as follows: Suburban run, No. 16, E. Miller, Suburban run, No. 58, E. Wood, Suburban run, No. 13, C. P. Becker, Cary switch job, C. S. Smith, 6.00 a. m. emergency job, vacated by Cridor, S. Fitzgerald, 6.00 a. m. emergency job, vacated by Zimmerman, O. Grobe, Third special delivery, Milwaukee various, C. W. Hendrickson, Special delivery, Butler, various, L. H. Doyle, 4.44-5.49 Milwaukee, Belvidere, A. L. Quincey, 5.43-5.44, vacated by Dudley, W. A. Shumway, 15.42-12, J. W. Walters, 15.42-12, J. P. Maxwell, 15.42-12, Wm. Cantlon.

This letter which was signed by Master Mechanics F. W. Peterson was dated January 6, and goes into effect shortly.

RE-NAMED JUNCTIONS ON NEW BUTLER BELT LINE

Superintendent Vilas of the Butler Belt Line, writes that in order to eliminate the use of the termination junction at points where the Butler Belt Line connects with the respective divisions these names will be changed as follows: The Lake Shore division connecting to Butler will be Eastern; the Lake Shore division connecting to the Wisconsin division near Lindworm will be known as Shoreline; the Sparta line connecting with the Wisconsin division will be called Wisconsin; the Madison division connecting with the Butler Belt line receives the name Belton; East Butler-woye connection is now Tower E. W. West Butler-woye connection will bear the name Tower H. J.; and the South Butler-woye connection will be known as Tower S. Y.

Section men this week have been having a rather hard time on account of the cold. The task of keeping the switches clear of ice and snow has not been a light one the last few days and the entire force in the city has been putting in some strenuous time.

Pedestrians passing the Academy street crossing during the last four

RECITAL TO APOLLO CLUB THIS EVENING

Program to be Given by Edwin J. Feldes, Baritone Singer, Will Be Rare Treat.

Members of the Apollo club will enjoy one of the finest of the musical programs of the season at the library hall this evening when Edwin J. Feldes of Chicago, baritone singer, will give a recital of German, French, Italian and English songs. Mr. Feldes is recommended as a soloist of ability and power with a voice of fine range and carrying power. His interpretation is described as wonderful and his stage presence is very pleasing.

In addition to his record as a singer Mr. Feldes is also a violinist of exceptional ability. His program here will be confined to songs entirely, however.

Pre-Inventory Sale

Have you taken advantage of this splendid opportunity to save money on first-class merchandise? Our policy is to move all goods during the season for which they were purchased, so you get the benefit of the big reductions.

Following are just a few of the many bargains:

Duck coats, warm lining, \$15.00 coats at \$11.97; \$2.25 coats at \$1.79; \$3.00 coats at \$2.30 each.

Sheepskin lined coats, \$5.00 coats at \$4.48; \$3.50 coats at \$2.99 each.

Men's medium or dark work shirts, chosen of our 50c shirts at 43c each.

Men's or boy's outing flannel shirts, regular price 50c; to close out at 29c each.

Men's flannel shirts, navy, brown, maroon, or gray; \$2.00 shirts at \$1.69; \$1.50 shirts at \$1.19; \$1.00 shirts at 79c each.

Men's heavy cotton flannel gloves, 10c grade on sale at 7 1/2c a pair; extra heavy 15c quality at 10c a pair.

Men's dress shirts, \$1.00 quality at \$79; 50c value at 37c each.

Men's kid gloves, or mittens, lined or unlined \$1 value at 79c; \$1.50 quality at \$1.19; \$2 grade at \$1.69 a pair.

Men's heavy lined mittens or gloves, 50c grade at 37c; 60c quality at 50c; \$1.00 values at 79c; \$1.50 values at \$1.19 a pair.

Men's caps, fancy weaves or black fur-lined, \$1.00 caps at 78c; 50c caps at 19c.

Boys' fancy caps, fur-lined; regular price 50c, sale price 37c.

Aviation caps, \$1.00 values at 49c; 75c grade at 47c.

Children's knit stocking caps, 50c caps at 29c; 25c caps at 19c each.

Ladies' black (fancy lined) hose, 15c quality at 9c a pair.

Ladies' wool hose, 50c value at 37c; 25c quality at 19c.

Great savings on all underwear.

HALL & HUEBEL

A SHOW OF SILVER

Like our patrons, we are satisfied with nothing but the best. Superiority of quality in the metal, itself, and designing that shows the highest achievements of the silversmith's art. If you have use for such home furnishings, come to us for new ideas.

OLIN & OLSON, Jewelers

"ANCIENT HINDUISM" SUBJECT OF MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

At Meeting to Be Held in Congregational Church Parlor Tomorrow Afternoon—Missionary to Speak.

"Hinduism," ancient and modern, will be the subject of papers and discussion at the meeting of the Women's Missionary societies of the Congregational church to be held in the church parlors at two-thirty o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. T. M. Jeffrie will treat the topic, "Ancient Hinduism and the Indian People"; Miss Sayles, "Modern Hinduism and Some Indian Reformers"; and Mrs. J. A. Craig, "Difficulties in Hinduism." Miss Bennett, who recently returned from India, will give a talk. The hour of meeting is set at 2:30 so that members can attend the prayer meeting in the same place.

A New Discovery.
One of the sensations of the twentieth century is Meritol Rheumatism Powder. A boon to every sufferer. The best known remedy for rheumatism in all its forms. Ask those who have tried it. Reliable Drug Co.

There's a deal of satisfaction in the use of a Janesville Motor Co Taxi when going to a social affair.

Clean taxis, careful drivers, make perfect service.

To make sure of a Janesville Motor Co. taxi call new phone 502, old phone 1197.

Get 'Em Now

An Extra Pair Of Trousers Free

This is our annual generous offer; many men take advantage of it regularly. They can afford to. There isn't a man anywhere but what can well have an extra pair of trousers in his wardrobe. They lengthen the life of your suit and you always have a pair of neatly pressed trousers on hand when you want them.

Your suit order here gets the best attention; you get the best of custom tailoring; your suit will be quietly, yet noticeably better fitting than the rest in any crowd. Overcoats the same.

ALLEN'S
THE ALL WOOL STORE.
54 So. Main St.

SPORT

VICTORY TO TIGERS
IN GAME WITH NAPS

Take Two Closely Contested Games
Out of Three in Bowling Match
Last Evening.

Victory went to the Tigers in two out of three games with the Naps in the bowling match at Hockett's alleys last evening, although the Naps failed a total of 2,291 pins against the Tigers 2,500. The first game went to the Naps by a good margin and the Tigers were able to take the next two only by a very few points. Gibson and Myhr of the Naps had the high scores, each rolling 181 pins in the first game. Details of the contest are given below:

TIGERS.			
E. Baumann, Cpt.	167	160	168
Ryan	175	130	118
Newman	130	133	113
Sutherland	165	157	166
Gesell	148	118	172
Total	775	698	737-2200
NAPS.			
Gibson, Cpt.	181	140	122
Jeffers	132	161	178
Myhr	181	165	151
Wilson	163	127	129
Wichter	163	155	120
Total	810	691	700-2201

"DOC" ADKINS SIGNS
ORIOLE CONTRACT

Former Janesville Y. M. C. A. Ball
Player to Pitch Again for Balti-
more Next Summer.

"Doc" Adkins, former Janesville Y. M. C. A. baseball pitcher, later with the Detroit college team and more recently with the Baltimore Orioles, has signed his contract to pitch again for the "Birds." Dr. Adkins is a graduate of Johns Hopkins Medical college and is well known locally for his prowess with the horseshoe sphere.

MILWAUKEE AUTO SHOW
WILL BE MOST INTERESTING.

Metropolitan automobile shows, like that which will be conducted by the Milwaukee Automobile Dealers association in the Auditorium, are the great clearing houses of automobile information, ideas and styles, and furnish in compact form a bird's-eye view of the motoring industry.

The value of the automobile show to the merchant and manufacturer can not be questioned. The automobile show is of mutual benefit to the prospective buyer, to the manufacturer, to the agent, bringing these three classes into closer touch than is possible by any other method.

The Milwaukee Automobile Dealers association will offer for observation, January 13 to 19, more than sixty makes of pleasure cars, more than thirty makes of commercial vehicles and thousands of accessories, devices and necessities for the motorist.

In the universal evolution from hand power to mechanical power which has been and still is going on all over the world, and which necessarily implies an education of all the people from simple, primitive, unmechanical methods to more complicated but more efficient mechanical methods, the automobile and the automobile show are playing a more important part than is generally understood in the world's progress.

The educative value of the automobile show to the general public, to persons who may never own or operate a motor-car is enormous. Almost every mechanical movement that man's ingenuity has devised and complete apparatus for utilizing the three great motive powers—steam, gas and electricity—will be found at the show.

SEVENTY-FIVE DAY RACE
MEETING AT CHARLESTON.

Carolina City Aims to Become Center
of Winter Racing—Races Be-
gan Today.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 10.—An ambitious effort to make this city the real center of winter racing in America was inaugurated today with the opening of the seventy-five day race meeting planned by the Charleston Fair and Racing Association. The management is pleased with the prospects for success. Hundreds of thoroughbreds are now quartered at the local course, and additional applications for stable room are being received daily. Gathered in Charleston for the first time are many turfmen whose faces are familiar on the metropolitan tracks.

Thirty thousand dollars has been set aside by the promoters of the meeting to be expended in purses for stake events alone. The program provides for twenty events of this character, fifteen for horses of the more mature division and five for the baby racers. The feature event of the meeting planned by the Charleston one mile and a quarter, worth \$3,000.

HIGH SCHOOL AND ALUMNI
ANNUAL BASKETBALL GAME

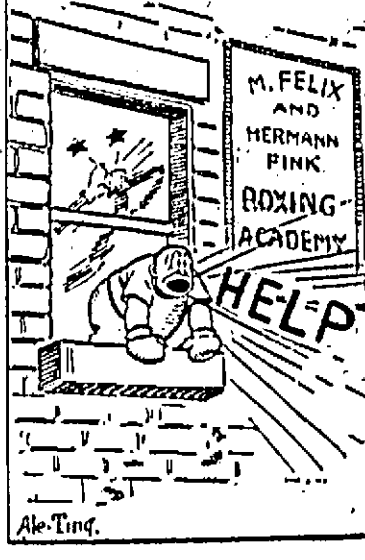
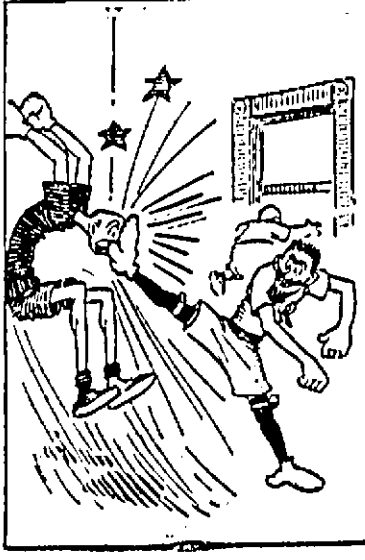
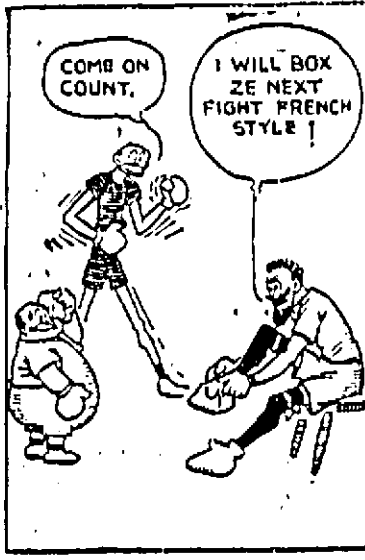
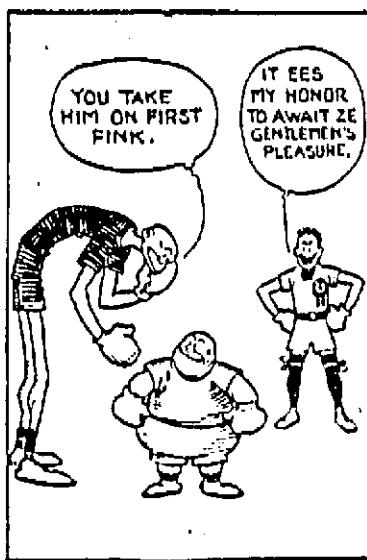
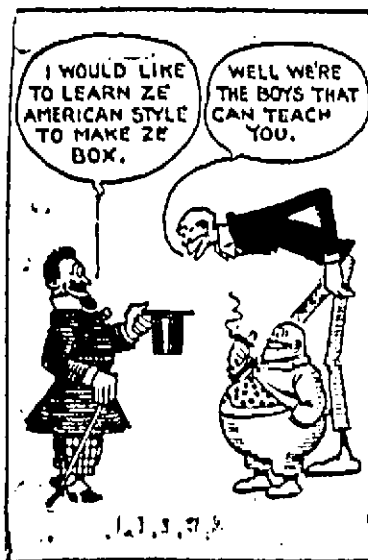
Contest is Scheduled at High School
Gymnasium This
Evening.

The annual basketball game between the high school team and the alumni representatives will be played at the high school gymnasium this evening. The contest is usually closely contested and the game this year will not be an exception. The probable line-up of the teams will be: Alumni: Murphy and Green, forwards; W. Hemming, center; and Langdon and Brown, guards. High school: Cunningham and Kora, forwards; V. Hemming or Cannon, center; and Palmer and Edler, guards.

SECOND AUTOMOBILE SHOW
IS HELD IN NEW YORK.

National Association of Manufacturers
Opened Exhibition in Grand
Central Palace Today.

New York, Jan. 10.—New York's second automobile show of the present season opened in the new Grand Central Palace today under



FELIX AND FINK—At the Boxing Academy—Felix and Fink take on the Count de Camembert.

CIVIL ENGINEER
TELLS EXPERIENCE

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., MAN TELLS
OF REMARKABLE CURE MADE
IN ONE WEEK BY UNITED
DOCTORS.

Minneapolis, Minn.,
Rheumatism is anything but an enjoyable ailment and one that a great many people are afflicted with. Some wisely take precautions in time to be cured and others let things drift along until they are beyond hope of being benefited.

Mr. C. H. Hickman, of 412 Seventh St. S., of this city who is a civil engineer for the Great Northern railroad, is compelled through his work to walk many miles a day. Six weeks ago he began to have severe attacks of sciatic rheumatism that made every step he took a torture to him. Mr. Hickman states that though he only had one week's treatment from the United Doctors, who have their building, corner Milwaukee and Main Streets, that he was able to walk eight miles yesterday without a twinge of pain.

The United Doctors have Institutes in many states and Minneapolis people are not the only ones being benefited by the wonderful new system of treatment now used by these specialists. They are already known throughout the northwest even up to the borders of Canada.

Among a high stack of testimonials on file in the United Doctors' Institute can be seen names and addresses from nearly every state in the Union. Letters from rich and poor people in localities far away. All speak well of the doctors and in almost every case these people have been given up as incurable by all other methods of treatment, which makes their cures more wonderful.

The most recent Institutes established by the United Doctors in the west are in Wisconsin, Illinois and Minnesota. (The Janesville Institute is in the Hayes Building, corner of Milwaukee and Main Streets.)

the auspices of the National Association of Automobile Manufacturers. The vehicles displayed include both passenger and commercial types of cars. Practically all of the prominent manufacturers of America are included among the exhibitors. The show will last an entire week.

Severe Indictment.
Callous greed of certain individuals is responsible for the loss of more lives in Great Britain than its enemies have ever inflicted in the severest war.—Lloyd-George.

THE WAY OUT.

There is no use in fussing round about the price of coal.

Or worrying about the thing and wearing out your soul.

There is a way to dodge all that and never have to go.

And with the man who sells the stuff blow in all your dough.

You'll never have to go and see the coal man if you try.

This scheme which we propose to you, for that's how we see it.

If you would dodge the coal man absolutely day your hat.

And then go out and skin a leaser for one steam-heated flat.

TODAY'S EVANSVILLE NEWS

Gullford D. Peebles.
Evansville, Jan. 10.—Gullford D. Peebles, only child of Deacon Hubbard and Mary Green Peebles, was born in Hermitage, Wyoming county, New York, January 13, 1841. His father came from New York to Wisconsin in October, 1845, leaving his wife and baby with her people in Michigan for a season, they joining him in the May following 1846. They settled on a farm in York township, Green county.

Here Mr. Peebles grew up to manhood. September 29, 1864, he entered the army, joining Company B, Third Wisconsin Volunteer. He was at Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 15, 1864, at the time of the great battle between General Thomas and Hood. He was taken prisoner at the capture of a railroad train in Kentucky, December 23, and was paroled on the 10th. The parole was not recognized by his commanding officers and he joined his regiment Jan. 8, 1865 at Savannah, Ga. He was in the campaign of the Carolinas under Sherman, and in the engagement at Robertsville, S. C., and at Averysboro, N. C., and in the line of march at the "Grand Review" in Washington, May 24, 1865. Returning home at the close of the war he lived with his parents on the farm.

On December 7, 1870 he was united in marriage with Miss Adeline Sadler and they lived at the old home with his parents until their death.

During the winter of 1871 Mr. Peebles was converted in the home and soon after united with the Free Baptist church of York Prairie. Upon the death of his father he was elected deacon of the church to succeed his father, who had served in that capacity for many years.

In March, 1898, Mr. and Mrs. Peebles sold out their farm and moved to Rock county, settling upon the farm about three miles southeast of the city of Evansville where, with the ex-

ception of one year, lived in the city, have resided since. Immediately upon coming here they united with the Free Baptist church of Evansville, which he has served as deacon, trustee and faithful disciple of his Christ and Master, and endeavored himself to the church, and gained the trust and honor of all who knew him.

He was in his usual health this winter and was at the farmhouse on Thursday, spending an hour in visiting and planning with his pastor. He did his barn chores on the farm Saturday morning. Upon entering the house he was taken suddenly with severe pressure of cold in the chest and arms and was ministered to by the faithful wife, refusing to have a doctor called. Feeling some relief he asked to be down, thinking he would sleep, but soon he passed into the sleep of a child of God. He would have reached his 68th year had he lived until the 13th of this month.

Two sons have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Peebles: Floyd, who was living at home, and Royal, who died Aug. 11, 1910.

Mr. Peebles will be missed by the church, by the quarterly meeting, and the yearly meeting, where his face has grown familiar for many years. The funeral took place Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock from the Free Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, C. H. Myers, assisted by Rev. Mrs. E. A. Copp. Interment was made in Maple Hill cemetery.

Other News.
The meeting of the members of the Rock County Fair association, which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon, was postponed until a recent date for various reasons.

Frank Brigham was in Calville, Tuesday, taking in stock for Chicago shipment.

Miss Amy Perry returned last night from a few days' visit in Madison.

meetings and getting in training for the series of reviews that will be held in the leading cities and towns from Boston to San Francisco in the honor of the trip of Baden-Powell and James E. West, Chief Scout Executive across the country. Letters which Mr. West is receiving from scout commissioners and local councils indicate that the trip of Baden-Powell and West is being looked forward to with much eagerness by the boy scouts.

Violin Worth a Fortune.
Probably the most valuable violin in the world is possessed by Herr Fritz Kressler, whose recent concert at the Queen's hall aroused so much interest and enthusiasm. It belonged to Mr. George Hart, the well-known cornetist, and Mr. Kressler paid \$2,000 for it. It is not only a genuine Guarnerius, but in other ways a remarkable instrument. On the tail-piece the maker's initials and the date (1737) appear in diamonds, the pegs and buttons are set with diamonds and rubies, while the case alone is worth \$200, being of solid silver overlaid with tortoise-shell and decorated with arabesque and other ornate decorations.—Tid Bits.

Honor Memory of Former Governor Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 10.—A marble bust of Governor Johnson, one of the earliest governors of North Carolina, was placed in the rotunda of the State House here today. The ceremonies were in charge of the North Carolina grand lodge of Masons, of which Governor Johnson was the first grand master.

Many young men have rushed in their applications for certificates because they have been eager to qualify as scoutmasters in time for the arrival of Lieut. General Sir. Robt. S. S. Baden-Powell. Thousands of boy scout troops throughout the country are practicing various scout activities.

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MILWAUKEE
AUTO SHOW
JAN. 13-19

IN THE
AUDITORIUM

MAIN HALL, ANNEX AND
BASEMENT

Most complete exposition of
the Automobile industry
held in the Northwest.

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Wisconsin Auto Dealers,
Auto Ass'n. Day

75 makes of Pleasure Cars
35 makes of Motor Trucks
64 Exhibits of Accessories

51,000 Sq. Ft. of Show
Space.

4 Orchestras Including
Clauder's.

REHBERG'S

YOU men should
read each item

in our announcement of our
14th Annual Mid-Winter
Clearing Sale, which will ap-
pear in The Gazette Friday even-
ing. Prices will be the lowest ever
quoted on goods of like qualities;
watch for the announcement.

JANUARY STOCK REDUCTIONS

Sale Lasts Till
Jan. 20th

J.M. BOSTWICK
& SONS.

Only those who have profited by our former sales of this character can fully realize the importance of this sale. You simply cannot compare this JANUARY STOCK REDUCTION Sale with any other so-called sales—for it is DIFFERENT in every way—larger stocks, Greater Variety, Careful Selections and Lower Prices. A sale that urges you to closest comparisons, for the more critical you are the more you will realize the importance of supplying your needs for a year to come.

Remember Everything in The Big Store Goes At
a Reduction During This Sale

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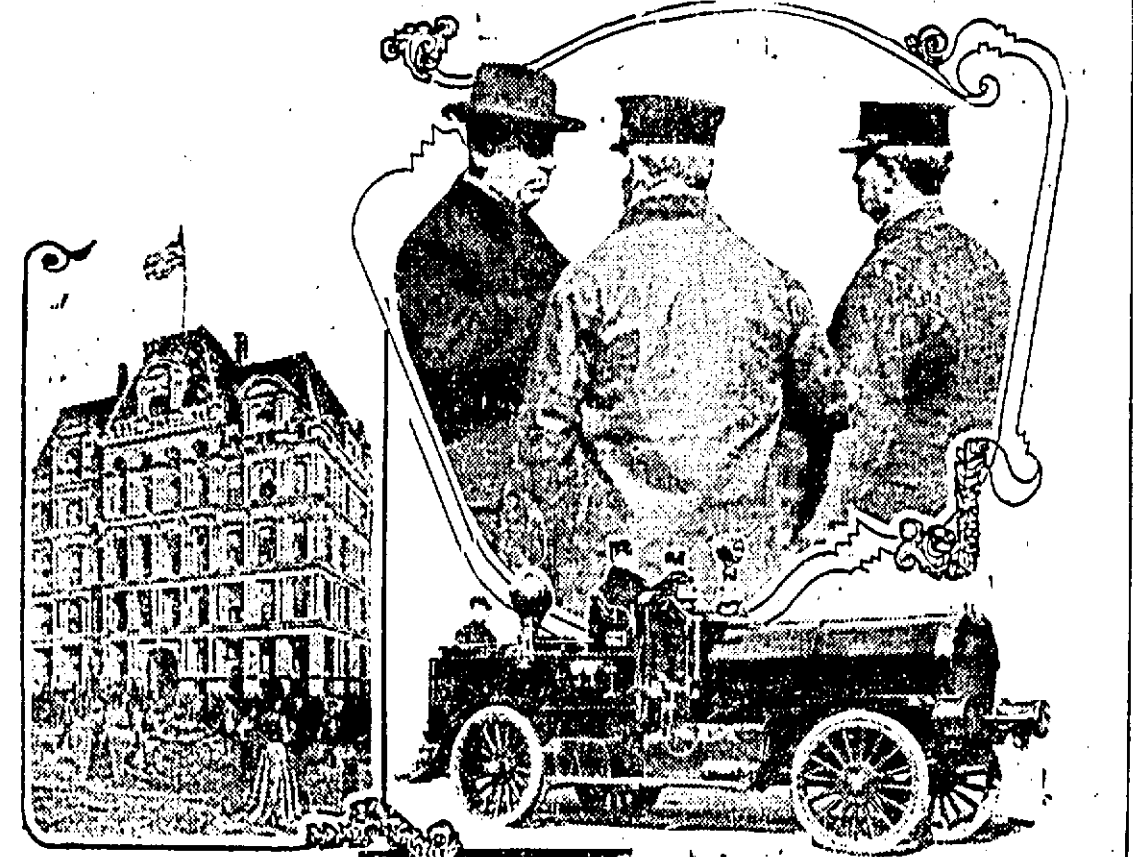
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EQUITABLE BUILDING BURNS.

Recent view of the Equitable Life
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Upper right, Fire Commissioner
Waldo talking with fire chiefs while the flames were at their height. Be-
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AS TO DES MOINES.

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"An examination of this statement shows that the old administration at the close of its fiscal year left a deficit of \$119,199.82. This the Commission met largely by the issue of bonds, in order that it might not be handicapped by a deficit at its beginning.

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The people have no complaints to offer, and nothing would induce them to abandon the plan. If a vice commission is demanded it speaks well for the moral sentiment of the city. Janesville has a long time in need of that sort of a commission.

ASTONISHING FACTS.

"It was astonishing that a man like Superintendent Cary would have had the hardihood to go on record with a public charge that the state university, an institution founded and supported by the state government for the purpose of educating the young, was meddling in political affairs and seeking to control the administration of the government.

"But amazing as such a charge is, the wonderful thing—the thing that almost staggers belief—is the fact that instead of denying the university authorities admit the charge and seek to justify it.

"The state needs its guardianship, declares its president. 'The university that belongs to the state,' says the Madison Journal, 'is maintained through the administrative bodies of the state, must render that kind of service which may be its state's peculiar needs. And by speaking of the state, we mean all the people of the state—the great mass of people—not a group of men who may represent a grasping, greedy and who may have acquired the instruments of the government. The state means society. Society must be served by its university.'

"Such a question hardly admits of argument. If one does not see intuitively the utter inconsistency of this system with democratic government, no amount of arguing would make it viable. That it can be givenly advanced by men professing democratic ideals merely shows how shallow is their own conception of the principles which they profess.

"The arguments in favor of such a system are not new. They have sufficed to maintain the divine right of kings for a good many thousands of years. The thing that finally arouses the public to the sophistry of such contentions is the fact, which the people finally notice, that wherever anything is urged upon the government by such an extra official body, some individual of that body always manages to make a snag little nest for himself. Wisconsin is already supporting quite an army of 'experts' in that way, and the limit has not yet been reached."

The Wisconsin Record-Herald thus discusses the state university and its dictatorial attitude. It will be noticed that the defense not only pleads guilty, but glories in the fact. There is only one thing that will reform the much over-reformed state, and that is a change of administration, but with the primary law working over-time, and all parties demoralized, the machine is likely to be in control for some time to come.

The influence of assessing property at full valuation becomes more and more apparent in the re-assessment list is examined. Plenty of houses are assessed for more than they could be sold for, and in many cases are mortgaged for more than half their value. Some industries which are being run at a loss are assessed on a "going" value, when they are "going" the wrong way. In Illinois property is listed at one-third its value and there is little cause for complaint.

The democratic party is far from harmonious, and while the conservative element is in the majority, the Bryan crowd is about as obstinate as the insurgents in the republican ranks. While President Taft is the logical candidate to succeed himself, from the present outlook the party may find it necessary to nominate Roosevelt to insure success.

The foolish argument is advanced that because a state tax commission raised the city assessment, that all commissions are dangerous, and therefore the city should not adopt the Commission plan of government. That is simply a bogymen sprung for effect. It lacks the first elements of logic or common sense.

Falling to capture the two old parties, on the part of La Follette and Bryan, it would not be at all surprising if the two aspiring candidates formed a coalition, and launched a new party. Just who would head the ticket might lead to some confusion.

But little sympathy will be expressed for the Rev. Hichson, who is sentenced to pay the life penalty for one of the most atrocious murders of the year. The most charitable thing to say of him is that he must have been mentally unbalanced.

Woodrow Wilson has discovered that old letters are bad things to have around, especially when Mr. Bryan is the text. The Nebraska orator has a good memory, and knows how to use it.

People who have been shouting for reform are getting what is coming to them in the way of taxes. Made always costs money and somebody has to pay the bill.

ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

A MYSTERY.
There seems to be no place for me around home any more.
For every time I make a move
I hear my wife say "Don't go in there!"
There ain't a clothes press in the house that they'll let me go in.

My bedroom has been closed and locked. They seem to be afraid I'll rummage around the place like I have always done.

When paw comes home at supper time I can't go to the door. And meet him like I used to each evening any more.

He don't come in the settin' room, but scouts right off up stairs. Just like he was a-bidin' chased by tiggers or by bears.

They always talk in whispers, paw and maw, and look at me. As though I was some circus freak that they had paid to see.

And when they talk out loud they spell the things they want to say. It looks as though, by gingerpop, that I'm in the way.

I heard paw spell out "polar bear" to maw the other night. It sorter got me guessin', for he didn't spell it right.

Of course I ain't no Sherlock Holmes or anything like that. But I've been lookin' round a bit and found out quick as scent.

They're frandin' up some deal on me. I don't know as I ought, but I've dug up most of the things that they went out and bought.

Of course you mustn't say a word, for I must not be surprised. So that their secret schemes and plans may all be realized.

They've got to have their little joke; they have it every year. And start in to ligharin' me when Christmas time draws near.

It used to be a mystery, but we will let that pass. The young man is a civil engineer and is connected with a firm in Madison.

For I kin see through it nowadays as plain as my glass.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.
Theater door: You ask us how to pronounce vaudiville. It is pronounced as follows: Vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville, vaudiville.

Compliments: Yes, we would as soon tell you whom we think the greatest artist in the world. We think the honor lies between John McCutcheon and E. Oppen, with the odds in favor of McCutcheon.

Friend: Our opinion of the meanest man in the world is one who would rob a schoolhouse in order to put a state robe on his home.

Mazur: Alice blue would be very becoming for the yoke. Use anything you like on the whiffaloose.

DO YOU KNOW THIS MAN?
He traips around the house and bawls about the cost of food and growsl concerning money he has spent for heat and light and for the rent. The family meal has cost two-bits, and it has thrown him into fits. He says they'll surely drive him to the poor-house, that is what they'll do.

He catches wife and grunts. About the time he gave her once, and says she must think he a mint. His language isn't fit to print. But when he dines downtown this quince.

Turns out to be a whole-souled prince. He takes a friend and eats his fill. Indacts on paying all the bill. The most expensive luxury.

He orders, for he adius to please. There's nothing that's too rich or rare. For him upon the bill of fare. Chairs cannot be made for fine. He buys four dollars' worth of wine. A prince and right "good fellow" he. Excepting when he ought to be.

ACCORDING TO UNCLE ANNER.
There ain't no use tryin' to argue with a feller who wears a celluloid collar, for a feller who will do that is stubborn enough to stick to his own ideas until there is good skating in the place for twice punishment. The best experts on short stories.

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D. L. Amerpohl was a visitor in Orderville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Alexander have returned to Brodhead and taken up their abode in their town home.

The intense cold is causing vegetables in many collars to freeze.

Pearl Lodge No. 84 K. of L. are planning to put on a musical entertainment within a few weeks. They will have installation on Thursday evening.

The local O. E. S. have installation on Friday evening of this week.

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Mrs. Phyllis, wife of President Samuel Phyllis of Lawrence college, Appleton, and daughter, Miss Elsie are here on a visit to Miss Florence Child. They intend to remain about three weeks.

John Roberty, a young man of the town of Center, spent yesterday in this city with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Leary. The young man is a civil engineer and is connected with a firm in Madison.

BELOIT MAN COMPLAINED THAT DRINKS WERE DOPED.

"Never Again for Me" Said D. L. Watts After Paying Fine for Being Found Intoxicated.

That his drinks must have been doctored because the few drinks of beer he took would never have got him into the condition in which he was found was the complaint made by D. L. Watts, an umbrella salesman from Beloit who pleaded guilty in the Municipal court this morning to a charge of intoxication.

Watts was found on the streets last night nearly half frozen and was brought to the police station for safe keeping. He got off the train here last night and it was while waiting for an interurban car home that he became intoxicated. He said that he was formerly a portrait artist by profession and that he had to quit the business because his nerves became unstrung. Drinking beer moderately cured him, but now that he has lost control of himself he is "never going to take another drink."

"I wouldn't have had this happen for a thousand dollars," said Watts.

North Dakota Builders Minot, N. D., Jan. 10.—Legislation for accident compensation and plans to keep North Dakota construction work in the hands of local builders were discussed here today at the annual convention of the State Association of Builders' Exchanges of North Dakota.

Terrible Suffering

Eczema All Over Baby's Body.

"My baby was four months old his face broke out with eczema, and at sixteen months of age, his face, hands and arms were in a dreadful state. The ec

Eighteen Years Of Service

Just had a man in for now Dental work.

Suit he.

"Look at those gold fillings. You put those in eighteen years ago, over in Broadhead, Wis., and they are 'all right' yet."

I live in Edgerton now, but no distance is too far for me to come for Dental if I can find you to do the work."

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LOST: Last night, bunch of keys, either on Milwaukee or So. High St. Finder please return to Gazette Office, Howard, 58-31.

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WANTED: Young man to drive delivery wagon, Saturday only. One who knows the 2nd Ward, E. E. Winslow, 58-31.

FORMER RESIDENT OF CLINTON DISAPPEARS

Howard Crane Missing From Chicago North Side Y. M. C. A. Where He Had Been Staying. (Special to this Gazette)

Clinton, Wis., Jan. 10.—Last night's Chicago papers contained an account of the disappearance of Howard Crane from the north side branch of the Y. M. C. A., where he had been staying for several days. Mr. Crane is a son of Mrs. Minnie Crane of Madison and formerly lived here. Howard Crane was in Clinton, Wednesday night in consultation with H. A. Muehlenpau regarding the Y. M. C. A. The report of the Chicago Central Y. M. C. A. course to equip himself to take a secretaryship of the boys' work department of the association. It is thought here by his friends that he will turn up safe and sound.

Other News.
Dr. E. B. Rader, who is taking a postgraduate course in a veterinary college in Chicago, spent Sunday here with his family.

Earl H. Hawley of the Peerless Poultry Plant is exhibiting some very fine specimens of barred Plymouth Rock chickens at the Madison poultry show this week.

M. A. Stewart is now selling automobile supplies on the road for a wholesale house.

Several from here attended the auto show at the Meadell garage in Beloit. The water was in some connection with the heated yesterday in front of C. W. Bish's feed mill and threatened to cause serious trouble for that part of town, as no one could be secured to dig down to the main on account of the severe weather and the freezing water. Finally Will Ellithorpe consented to undertake the job.

The 20th Century club's privileged meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Northrop was a very pleasant and novel affair and greatly enjoyed by all present. Light refreshments were served after the program.

Porter Winograd, a Clinton boy attending the state university at Madison, was unfortunate enough to freeze his finger tips, toes and nose during the extreme cold weather.

Training School Board: A meeting of the board of the directors of the county training school and the members of committee No. 5 of the county board on educational matters, was held in the office of County Superintendent O. D. Antkowiak this afternoon to consider the report on the training school and other matters of importance.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of baby and daughter, Helen.

MIL AND MRS. GARRY, 261 Western Ave.

WEIRICK MATTER IS LAID OVER BY BOARD

COUNTY BOARD WILL AWAIT DECISION OF SUPREME COURT IN DANE COUNTY CASE.

OTHER MATTERS TODAY

County Treasurer Reads Report This Afternoon—Board Will Sue Clerk County for Bill Due.

Mention of the Weirick matter was brought before the county board this afternoon and Supervisor L. E. Gettle, chairman of the special committee investigating the case, made a few explanatory remarks to the board regarding the status of affairs at the present time.

He stated that the supreme court has not yet decided the Dane county case which involved practically the same points as were at stake in this county and it was the committee's recommendation that it was wise to await this decision as it would have a bearing on the local case. The action in the Dane county circuit court sustained the contentions which our committee would have requiring the turning over of the fees of the register of deeds.

On the motion of Supervisor McEvoy the matter was laid over until the May meeting.

Treasurer's Report.
County Treasurer A. M. Church read his report to the board at the session this afternoon. The total receipts for the county during the year ending Dec. 31, 1911, were \$73,082.64, of which the tax levy was \$231,790.57. The total disbursements for the year were \$260,239.54, leaving a balance on hand in the treasury, less the outstanding checks of \$12,552.10.

Committee No. 7 reported to the board this afternoon on the matter of cyclone insurance for the county buildings, and recommended that the buildings at the county farm be insured at the lowest rates obtainable, to begin April 1, 1912. This was adopted.

To Sue Clerk County.

At the morning session of the county board it was voted on the motion of Supervisor Gettle that the district attorney file an appeal in the matter of a bill against Clark county which has been disallowed by the county board of Clark county at the November session.

This amounts to a law suit against Clark county to force them to a payment of the bill. The bill was contracted by a man and his family of nine children who stopped in Janesville en route from Clark county to a point in Illinois where the man had a position offered. The stop was made here owing to the sickness of one of the children and owing to the fact that the man was unable to pay for the freight on his belongings. Immediate aid was necessary not only for the physician's attendance on the child, but also for the board of the family. The bill totalled some \$15, which was presented to the county board of Clark county for allowance and which they refused to pay.

Case as an Example.
It was the attitude as expressed by Supervisor Smith and other members of the board, that although it would cost several times the amount of the bill to take the appeal, it would serve as a valuable precedent to the effect that Clark county is not to be trifled with in matters of this kind. It was the opinion of several members of the board that Clark county had no defense in the matter and was simply relying on the fact that the amount was so small that Clark county would pay it rather than take other trouble.

It was pointed out that there had been no other differences of this nature where the county's bills had been refused and that this should be an example.

Dog Bill Allowed.

The matter of the allowance of the bill against the county for the employment of bloodhounds in the search for the Korbin child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Korbin, residing north of this morning. The facts of the case were briefly reviewed by District Attorney Stanley Dunwiddie who stated that the case was one which demanded immediate action on the part of the authorities to make some effort to find the child. The fact that she was found before the dogs arrived here did not necessarily enter into the case as the sheriff and other officials would have been blamed had they not taken authority upon themselves.

The bill was for some \$109.00 and on the motion of Supervisor Moore it was allowed by the board. The resolution was expressed that the committee would be careful in the future as to the past in scrutinizing such bills, but that this could not be taken as a precedent as the facts in the case show that action was necessary.

Other Matters.

The matter of the lease of the old jail came before the board. Supervisor Hopkins stated that the Case Feed Company desired to release the property, but asked permission of the county board to erect a one-story frame building, 40x31 feet, to the north of the present building for the purpose of a repair shop. It was stated that the present leaseors are not sure that they would build this addition, but they desired the full permission of the county board.

It was voted that the building committee draw up a lease in favor of the Case Feed Company on the terms recommended.

The report of Committee No. 15, purchasing agents, was read by Supervisor Heddles and accepted and placed on file.

The county clerk read the list of the blind persons in the county who have been paid the county benefit and on the motion of Supervisor Sherman it was ordered that their accounts be allowed for the ensuing year.

It was moved by Supervisor Simon Smith that a committee be appointed to set the salaries for the newly elected officers.

The L. A. A. O. H. will hold their regular monthly meeting tonight Wednesday, Jan. 10, at the Calcedonia rooms. All members are requested to be present for installation of officers. Signed, Sadie Kingman, Recorder.

Want Ads bring results.

WAS INCORPORATED TODAY FOR \$25,000

Pen Filler Company of Janesville Has License to Operate in Wisconsin.

Secretary of State Fennar this morning accepted the incorporation papers of the Pen Filler company of this city, capitalized at \$25,000, the incorporators all being Janesville men: E. V. Whitton, C. P. Heers, and M. E. Jeffria. The company plan to manufacture a patent pen-filling apparatus, the invention of Edward V. Whitton. It has been perfected after a year of testing and will be placed on the market for the convenience of the busy man who has not the time to stop and fill his pen by the usual methods.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Hazel Ideo and Miss Catherine Jones entertained a party of young people from Watworth, at their home, from Friday until Sunday.

Frank Richardson of Newville, has again taken up his studies at the Janesville Business College.

Dr. Pomber was in Milton Junction yesterday on professional business.

Miss Mary E. Davis, who has been the guest of friends in Fort Atkinson for several days has come home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Van Batta were here from Milton Junction yesterday.

Miss Clara Grunhard went to Orono last night, to attend a friend's wedding.

The Misses Gladys Dunn, Arlene Gordon and Margaret Dunn of Milton, were here Monday and visited the Janesville High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodstock have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills of New York city. Mrs. Mills was formerly known as Miss Helen Hamilton.

Miss Roseetta Kopka was among the Hanover people who visited the city yesterday.

Dr. G. Coan of Milton Junction, visited Janesville yesterday.

Mrs. William Gillies of Cooksville, who has been the guest of friends in the city for a few days has returned home.

Mrs. W. F. Ahrle of Chicago, Mrs. F. R. Hedin of St. Paul, and Mrs. C. H. Hemming of Rockford, are in city being called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. E. J. Kohl.

B. Spence is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home on Pleasant street.

Mrs. F. H. Barnsworth entertained the members of a sewing club yesterday afternoon at her home on South Wisconsin street.

Mrs. E. Bagley and daughter, Hazel, of Cambridge, Wis., were recent Janesville shoppers.

Mrs. F. P. Strickler of 21 East street, North, entertained a ladies' afternoon bridge club at her home on Monday last.

Mrs. A. J. Harris entertained at a one o'clock luncheon this noon in honor of her guest, Mrs. W. L. Leonard of Portland, Maine, and her sister, Mrs. Hugh Leighton.

E. O. Kimberley is recovering rapidly from a fall in which he sustained a slight injury to his knee the other day and expects to be around again in a few days.

N. L. Carle left for Chicago this morning for a short visit.

Joseph Fisher and James Scott were business visitors in Port Atkinson today.

Miss May Hayes left for Chicago this morning where she will visit friends for a few days.

O. B. Lazor, traveling passenger agent of the T. & P. Road, was in the city yesterday on business.

W. W. Wood, superintendent of the best sugar factory left for Union Grove this morning.

Mrs. J. Zacharias returned to her home in Edgerton yesterday p. m. after spending two weeks with relatives in Beloit and Janesville. Her sister, Mrs. T. F. Moran and little daughter, Iona, accompanied her home for a short visit.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Wanted, copies of The Gazette July 1, 11, Sept. 25, 11, and Dec. 1, 11. Will be paid for at The Gazette office.

The stockholders of the Oak Hill Cemetery association will meet in the city hall building Jan. 12, 1912, at 7:30 P. M. by order trustees.

Heur Ralph Burlette, the great humorist and lecturer at the M. E. church, Wednesday, January 17. The third evening of the lecture course.

Thursday evening, January 11th, The Power City Variety No. 31, Germania, will give a social dance at Bismarck Hall, at Tenor, property.

CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

GENERAL PIKE'S TRAGIC DEATH.

By A. W. MACY.
During the War of 1812 an expedition was organized by General Henry Dearborn for the capture of the British forts on Lake Ontario. The first one attacked was Fort York, where Toronto now stands. The attacking column was led by Gen. Zebulon M. Pike. The outer battery had been taken by assault and the guns of the main battery silenced. While waiting for the garrison to raise the white flag General Pike seated himself on a log and began talking with a British prisoner. Instead of running up the white flag as expected, the British commander ordered his men to retreat, and then had the powder magazine blown up. Fifty-two American soldiers were killed by the explosion, and 180 others wounded. A huge stone fell upon General Pike, breaking his back, and he died a few hours later. Thus perished one of our great explorers, the discoverer of Pike's Peak, at the early age of thirty-four.

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BIG MASS MEETING ON MONDAY EVENING

R. L. WILCOX OF EAU CLAIRE WILL DISCUSS COMMISSION GOVERNMENT.

AN IMPORTANT SESSION

Practical Demonstration of What State Law Has Accomplished in One Wisconsin City.

On Monday evening, the 15th of January at 8 o'clock, Mr. R. L. Wilcox of Eau Claire will discuss the Wisconsin commission plan of city government and a large attendance of voters is assured. Mr. Wilcox is not an office-holder in Eau Claire and his attitude on the question is free from the bias of personal interest. He comes from a city where the plan has proven a success and will be able to explain away the cobwebs which the local opponents of the plan have drawn around it. He will present arguments based upon facts and will not content himself with verbal illusions to issues that are not legitimately involved. Any person who desires to ask Mr. Wilcox concerning either the theory or the practical workings of the law, will be courteously answered.

Since adopting the commission plan of government, Eau Claire, town, has achieved the greatest growth and prosperity. Its advancement has been nothing short of phenomenal. No opponent of this plan should speak about taxes. They shouldn't mention the word, for Eau Claire has been recently plunged into its most disastrous financial straits. The re-organization, the present form of government, if Janesville had adopted the commission plan two years ago this city of half-cocked reform would never have occurred. Give the town a business system and business results may be looked for. Good government is like anything else of value—has got to be paid for, and yet it never costs as much as poor government. It is a guarantee that you can't get anything for nothing and it applies to government as well as to any other commodity. The service a man renders for nothing is worth just what he gets for it.

This movement is purely a business proposition, backed by business men and has no more to do with prohibition than with woman's suffrage.

The working man (?) who wrote the "epigram" in this morning's paper is not one who works with his hands. Let's not be worked by his special pleading.

Heard Wilcox on next Monday evening and join the movement for a better town.

OFFER ASSISTANCE TO THOSE NEEDING HELP

Associated Charities Willing To Extend Aid To Those In Temporary Distress—Apply To Visitors.

"The Associated Charities are anxious and willing to relieve cases of temporary distress, and applications for aid will be given as last year in their respective wards, or to Judge James H. Field, President; John G. Raxford, Treasurer; or Miss Reddy, Secretary."

The long continued cold weather with its heavy tax upon small incomes for warm clothing and fuel is working considerable hardship and none of those suffering from want of means to secure them should not hesitate to ask for help. Those informed of such cases are also asked to let the Associated Charities obtain work.

OBITUARY.

Fred Keating.
The remains of late Fred Keating, brother of William Keating of this city, who died in Chicago Monday, arrived here over the North-western railway at twelve o'clock to-day.

The deceased was celebrated at Chicago yesterday. The pall bearers were Al Smith, Harry Keating, Charles McCuen, and Bert Holleran.

August F. Kreuger.
This afternoon at the home, 231 Franklin street, funeral services were conducted for the late August F. Kreuger at 2 o'clock by the Rev. E. O. Hoffmeister, pastor of the English Lutheran church. Services were held at the Oak Hill chapel at 2:30, and interment made in that cemetery. The pallbearers were Fred Baumann, Fred Bennecke, John Mulguth, William Wallisch, Herman Lichtner, and Christ Broker.

Mrs. Sarah A. Ray.
Those who acted as pallbearers at the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah A. Ray, held yesterday afternoon, were Andrew Campbell, Howard Gillis, Andrew Burnham, Joseph Hay, L. Tallmadge, and A. C. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Wells Ray of Chicago were here to attend the funeral.

Mrs. W. B. Britton.
The remains of Mrs. W. B. Britton, wife of the late Col. Britton, who passed away in Evanston Monday evening, will arrive here tomorrow noon and funeral services will be held at the Oak Hill chapel at two o'clock sharp. The Rev. Father William will officiate and the grandsons will be pallbearers. Those of the old friends of Mrs. Ray, who wish to attend the service, can have provision made for them by notifying Frank D. Kimball of their desire before twelve o'clock noon.

John Walter Nitscher.
The Rev. C. J. Koerner will conduct funeral services for John Walter, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nitscher at the home, 424 North St., at 1:30 o'clock and at St. Paul's German Lutheran church at 2 o'clock.

John Wagner.
Last rites for the late John Wagner will be performed tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the home, The Rev. T. D. Williams will officiate.

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church will meet tomorrow in the church parlors at the usual hour.

FAILURE TO PRESS "HUBBY'S" SUIT LEADS TO A DOMESTIC ROW

Colored Couple on Pleasant Street End Quarrel by Resorting to Blows and Display of Weapons.

Jacques Edward Lloyd, a colored porter employed at a prominent barber shop did not find his best suit pressed when he came home for supper last night a little the worse for a few drinks, and therefore had to postpone a projected trip to Chicago. He opened a quarrel with his wife which soon led to blows, a mutual display of weapons and the calling in of the police.

On Lloyd's asking his wife why his suit had not been pressed, she replied in what was perhaps not a pacifying manner that she had not been told to do so. Lloyd grasped his wife by the shoulder to shake her, at which motion she struck out and hit him. According to Mrs. Lloyd, who told her story to the police and District Attorney Dunwiddie this morning, Mr. Lloyd made a pass at her with his jack-knife. She then ran up stairs and secured a thirty-eight caliber revolver and ran out of doors with it. Lloyd shut the door after her and she fired off the revolver into the air.

Not daring to return to the house, Mrs. Lloyd went to Patrolman Morrissey and complained that her husband had threatened to take her life. Her request that he be placed under arrest was complied with and Lloyd spent the night at the police station.

Mrs. Lloyd promised that she would appear and testify against her husband, but changed her mind this morning after consulting with District Attorney Stanley Dunwiddie and Chief of Police Appleby. A reconciliation was effected between the couple who promised that they would not raise a disturbance again.

FINDS UNIVERSITY DEMOCRATIC PLACE

Student from New Haven, Conn., at Wisconsin Institution Is Very Favorably Impressed.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—"A meeting pot of democracy" is the term applied to the University of Wisconsin by an eastern student, Carl Beck, 15, of New Haven, Conn., in a letter written recently to a New Haven paper. Beck is the author of "On Wisconsin," now one of the best known of college songs and a favorite in Souther's programs.

"My wish," he wrote, "is that the progressive fellows of New Haven, who are looking for a progressive education in a progressive atmosphere and who have got the sand to leave home to get it, should know where to get it, as did Robert Tristram of Norwalk, Conn., who has come to Wisconsin to get it and football manager-ship to boot."

Describing the democracy that characterizes Wisconsin, Mr. Beck said: "This democracy of belief and method bids fair to make Wisconsin the next state in the union to give women their political freedom. In Wisconsin's student directory of 6,000 students there are more foreign sounding names than in the directory of any other university in the country. The sons of workmen and immigrant fathers for education, I walk to classes daily with a railroad brakeman who has come to the university to study law. In my class of social and political ethics sits a vigorous old white-haired woman of 80 years whose intellectual stamina is second to none in the class. Up the hill three times a week walk an old retired business man and wife who are still educating themselves. Out on the campus surveying can be seen two aggressive females waving signals and setting up instruments with the same ability as their masculine brothers. They have dared conventional education and have taken up engineering. Likewise in the law school are two self-supporting colored men, who sit with us, eat with us, and jolly with us all through college life. The spirit at Wisconsin is that every man and woman is a 'Gully good fellow.' It makes the University of Wisconsin a virtual melting pot of democracy."

Ascertaining Speed of Vessel.
When a vessel is on her trial trip she runs four times over a measured mile, twice with and twice against the tide. Her average speed is thus arrived at.

Body Blow.
A Maryland man eloped with his sweetheart's twin by mistake, and is now happy. This will be a body blow for the soul-mates.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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One quart can fine jam 25c
Midget Pork Sausage 15c
lb.

Fine Frankfurts, 12½c lb.
Fine Home Made Sauer Kraut, 25c gal.

Fine Home Made Sour Pickles, 20c gal.
Plentic Ham, Dried Beef, Boiled Ham, Bacon and Salt Pork.

Seal Coast Oysters, 45c qt.
Fresh Ground Horseradish 10c glass.

Pure home made Jelly 10c glass.
Pure Home Made Mince Meat, 15c lb.

Old Master Coffee, 40c lb.
Fresh Salted Peanuts, 15c lb.

New Dates and Figs.
Pure White Clover Honey, 22c lb.

Pure Strained Honey, 25c pint can.
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PEANUT BUTTER 15c LB.

FULL CREAM CHEESE 20c LB.

10-LB. SK. FINE TABLE SALT 10c.

4 BOTTLES CATSUP 25c

3 CANS HOMINY 25c

3 CANS SUCCOTASH 25c

3 CANS PUMPKIN 25c

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HOG MARKET TAKES ANOTHER BAD SLUMP

Prices go Down From 15 to 20 Cents
This Morning, With Market Dull
and Receipts Heavy
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Jan. 10.—The hog market took another decided slump this morning, the drop amounting to the most which has been noted in any decline for some time. Prices were generally 15 to 20 cents lower and trading was dull. Receipts were heavier than expectations, totalling 55,000.

Cattle also went lower this morning, ten cents being the average drop. The sheep market was slow and market conditions were generally unsatisfactory. Quotations follow:

Cattle.
Cattle receipts estimated 2,000.
Market—Steady; 10c lower.
Heavy—1.75@1.80.
Texas steers—1.30@1.35.
Western steers—1.50@1.55.
Stockers and feeders—2.30@2.50.
Cows and heifers—2.00@2.50.
Calves—2.00@2.50.

Hogs.
Hog receipts estimated at 55,000.
Market—Dull; 15c@20c lower.
Light—3.00@3.25.
Mixed—3.00@3.25.
Heavy—3.00@3.25.
Rough—3.00@3.25.
Good to choice heavy—0.10@0.35.
Pigs—1.50@1.75.
Bulk of sales—0.10@0.35.

Sheep.
Sheep receipts estimated at 27,000.
Market—Slow.
Native—3.25@3.50.
Western—3.50@3.75.
Yearlings—5.00@5.50.
Lamb, native—1.75@2.10.
Lamb, western—2.25@2.75.

Butter.
Butter—Steady.
Creameries—20@25.
Dairies—20@25.

Eggs.
Eggs—Steady.
Receipts—1670 cases.
Cass at mark, cases included 22@25.
First, ordinary—28@30.
First, prime—35.

Cheese.
Cheese—Steady.
Dairies—10 1/2@11.
Twine—16 1/2.

Potatoes.
Young Americas—14 1/2@15.
Long Horns—14 1/2@15.

Wheat.
Jan.—Opening 60 1/2; closing 61.
May—Opening 61 1/2; closing 61 1/2.
July—Opening 61 1/2; closing 61 1/2.

Oats.
Jan.—Opening 47 1/2; closing 47 1/2.
May—Opening 47 1/2; closing 47 1/2.
July—Opening 47 1/2; closing 47 1/2.

Rye.
Rye—No 2, 90.
Barley—No 2, 90.

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JANESVILLE WHOLESALE MARKETS.
Janesville, Wis., Jan. 10, 1912.

Feed.
Oil meal—2.10@2.25 per 100 lbs.

Oats.
Oats—No 2, 90.

Straw.
Straw—No 2, 90.

Hay.
Hay—No 2, 90.

Butter.
Butter—No 2, 90.

Eggs.
Eggs—No 2, 90.

Corn.
Corn—No 2, 90.

Flour.
Flour—No 2, 90.

Wheat.
Wheat—No 2, 90.

Oats.
Oats—No 2, 90.

Rye.
Rye—No 2, 90.

Barley.
Barley—No 2, 90.

Straw.
Straw—No 2, 90.

Hay.
Hay—No 2, 90.

Butter.
Butter—No 2, 90.

Eggs.
Eggs—No 2, 90.

Corn.
Corn—No 2, 90.

Flour.
Flour—No 2, 90.

Wheat.
Wheat—No 2, 90.

Oats.
Oats—No 2, 90.

Rye.
Rye—No 2, 90.

Poultry Markets.
Turkeys—15c lb.
Hens—9c lb.
Springers—9c lb.
Old Roosters—6c lb.
Ducks—11c lb.

Different grades—\$5.50@5.00.
Steers and Cows.
Veal—\$6.50@7.00.
Beef—\$3.50@3.00.

Sheep.
Mutton—\$4.00@5.00.
Lamb, light—\$4.00.
Butter and Eggs.

Creamery—37c@38c, lb.
Dairy—34c@35c.
Eggs, fresh—30c doz.
Storage eggs—25c doz.

Potatoes—7c.
Carrots—50c bu.
Parasips—50c bu.
Beets—50c bu.

Rutabagas—50c bu.
Purple Top Turnips—50c bu.
Elgin Butter.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Elgin, Ill., Jan. 8.—Butter was quoted at 34 cents today, firm, with output at 6,185.

**APPLES GRADUALLY
BECOMING SCARCE**

Snows, Winesaps and Spitzenbergs are Almost Gone. Vegetables Are More Plentiful

Today,
Apples are gradually disappearing from the markets in barrel lots although some very nice ones are being received in boxes. Snows have almost entirely disappeared and those which are left do not compare in quality with the other varieties. Winesaps and Spitzenbergs are also gone, while Jonathans are bringing as much as seven cents a pound.

This is especially true weather for all kinds of soup and the local dealers are enjoying a good trade in the canned variety. There are enough vegetables also here to give the housewife a wide variety in her choice of ingredients. The mixed canned vegetables are very popular these days as well as the others. Today's markets have the following quotations:

Vegetables.
Carrots—2c lb.
Parasips—2c lb.
Potatoes—5c@6c.

Spanish Onions—8c lb.
Sweet Potatoes—8c lb.
Cauliflower—20c.
Green Peppers—5c each.

Squash—15c@20c.
Yellow onions—4c lb.
Cabbage—6c@10c a head.
Lettuce—5c bunch.

Head Lettuce—10c.
Dwarf Celery—18c@20c bunch.
Golden Heart Celery—3c stalk.
Vegetable Oysters—5c lb.

Spinach—8c@15c lb.
Home grown Radishes—5c bunch.
Beets—1 1/2c@2c lb., 20c pnt. bunch.

Tomatoes—15c lb.
Pickling Cucumbers—18c.
Shallots—10c bunch.
Brussels Sprouts—25c box.

Parsley—5c bunch.
Endives—5c bunch.
Fresh H. G. Lettuce—5c bunch.

Fresh Fruit.
Apples—Jonathan, 7c lb.; Kings, 5c lb.; Greenings, 4c lb.; Tallman, 4c lb.; 4 cents a pound; Baldwin, 4c lb.; Spies, 5c lb.; Bullhorns, 5c lb.; Spitzenbergs 5c lb.; Russets, 4c lb.; Gillflowers, 5c lb.

Snows, 35c; 20c; Baldwin, 35c@40c.
Russets, 4c lb.; Gillflowers, 5c lb.; Baldwin, 35c@40c.

Apples—Box, \$1.75@2.25.
Bananas—dozen, 10c@20c.
Imported Malaga—18c@20c lb.

Lemons—30c doz.
Grape Fruit—5c@7c, 10, 3 for 25c; 12c, 15c, 2 for 25c.

Cranberries—10c@12c lb.
Navel Oranges—25c, 30c@35c.
Tangerines—30c doz.
Pears—35c doz.

Florida Oranges—25c, 30c@35c.

Butter and Eggs.

Creamery Butter—11c@12c lb.

Dairy Butter—30c@35c lb.

Eggs—25c@30c doz.

Butterine—15c@20c.

Flour, Nuts and Popcorn.

MILTON JUNCTION

Milton Junction, Jan. 10.—Wallace Coon has gone back to Chicago, where he is attending school.

Howard Cottrell has returned from Welton, Ia., but is to return the first of March as he has secured a job there.

F. L. Burdick returned yesterday from Rochester, Minn., and states that he left Mrs. Williams comfortable.

Mrs. C. D. Clark who has been visiting at the home of her father, A. Haddon, went to Edgerton Tuesday.

Miss Laura Boett has returned from Brodhead.

A large crowd is expected at the second number of the lecture course tomorrow night.

Dr. Maxson's mother, Mrs. Mary Maxson, is very sick.

Wm. Frink is working for Marion Rose.

Higher Than Monarch, the who reigns within himself, and rules passions, desires and fears, is more than a king.—Milton.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

HEART AND HOME TALKS

BY BARBARA BOYD

The School of Mothercraft.

A HAPPIER future is ahead of the American child, and consequently a brighter era in store in national life. For the children of today are the citizens of tomorrow; and according as we train them will our national life be shaped. And so the School of Mothercraft that is being established in New York is a joyous step forward.

Mother love is a tremendous factor in child life. For a child craves love and ought to have it, if he is to grow into the sympathetic, kindly, generous man or woman. But mother love is not sufficient to develop a child symmetrically. Mother love combined with ignorance, mother love combined with over-indulgence which is, after all, only a form of ignorance, has ruined the future of many a fine little boy or girl. Physical ills have been bred that have rendered him unable to play his part in the world. Faults have been allowed to creep into character, which brought disaster, and which, took, perhaps, all of his mature life to eradicate. If, indeed, they were ever weeded out. Often, manhood's strength and years have to be taken to remedy ills entirely preventable, had knowledge as well as love been at the helm of the baby craft.

So, men and women, who have perhaps suffered from these errors, who, at any rate, see them being made every day by mothers about them, have established the School of Mothercraft. It is acknowledged that a woman can no more be a mother by instinct than she can be a housekeeper by instinct. We know nowadays that being a woman does not necessarily fit one for being a mother any more than it makes her an accomplished housekeeper. So the School of Mothercraft is bringing to mothers all that science and study and research have brought to light on the care and training of children.

Practical instruction at moderate tuition will be provided in the home care and training of children. There will be classes in biology, hygiene, eugenics, child psychology, kindergarten principles and practices, the sociology and psychology of the family life, all given in a non-technical and vital way, bringing to parents and others the fundamental principles of all these sciences, so that the problem of the family and of child development can be dealt with more intelligently and competently by parents themselves.

Besides classes and lectures at the school, provision is to be made for prenatal and postnatal instructions of mothers in their own homes. There will be a selected library and public reading room, and a public information bureau for problems relating to the family, marriage and eugenics, as well as to the care and training of children in the home. A permanent exhibit is to be established of children's furniture, clothing, toys, books, and pictures, selected for their fitness, beauty and economy.

The school purposes to be a common meeting ground and clearing house for all who are interested in the conservation of the family and child-life in the home. It purposes ultimately to provide for the vocation of motherhood as thorough a training and preparation as is now available for the vocation of teaching, library work, stenography, dressmaking, art or law.

Such a work as this cannot fail to be of the greatest benefit. Thousands of young mothers throughout the land are yearning passionately to bring up their boys and girls to be fine men and women. Yet perplexing problems confront them at every step. Which course to take, which way to turn is almost impossible for them to decide. But here is expert help. Here is experience. Here is scientific knowledge. And in addition, here is inspiration for those who grow weary at times under the burden of the day. For one cannot get in touch with such work as this, without being inspired. One sees the long vista of the future and what the right training now means to the years that are to come; and one thrills with the wonder, the beauty, the joy and the worth of it.

The work is so needed that it will undoubtedly grow. Other cities will soon have Schools of Mothercraft. In the course of time a department will probably be added where those unable to come in touch with the school personally can write for such information as they need and receive helpful and inspiring advice.

And such work comes through the higher education; the increasing activities of women.

Barbara Boyd.

UP-TO-DATE HOUSEKEEPING.

Household Stock Taking. Importance of Minor Repairs. False Bargains.

By Alice E. Whitaker.

In the days when every house had an attic it was customary to carry condemned pieces of furniture to that accommodating room and there they would stand year after year to be moved at the semi-annual cleanings. Perhaps each time the housewife resolved to take them out to be mended. More than likely other cast-offs were laid on them and they passed into service as burden bearers.

A house is seldom built now with an attic because of limited space and high rents and on many accounts it is well. The old fashioned housewife misses it as a catch-all; her daughter more easily adapts herself to the habit of knowing just what she has on hand, of having things repaired and used or else discarded entirely.

Families living in flats and apart-

ments have a limited storage place in the basement locker and generally leave behind them, in their frequent movings, a lot of dross for the benefit of the janitor. Sometimes it would be better to do a bit of repairing at home than to throw away so much.

The housewife worthy the name should have some appointed time in the year to look over her possessions, list what is good and discard the worthless. At this season the pressure of cares is generally too great to allow her to follow the example of business houses and take account of stock, but the precise date is not so important as the fact that it is done with some regularity.

Household stock taking may well include a list of minor repairs needed. Chairs give out as often as anything else in the house and if taken up soon as the first sign of weakness shows they can be saved to further usefulness. Broken knobs and handles on furniture should be replaced and loose ones tightened. Broken castors

wear out the housewife's patience and so does the door that will not stay shut and the electric bell that rings just when it pleases.

Some women insist that little repairs be done at once while others for no particular reason defer the work indefinitely. A few seldom get anything of the sort done unless they do it themselves. Such find that a hammer, small gimlet, iron and brass tacks, strong glue, a bottle of stain and a small brush make up a convenient outfit that can be supplemented cheaply at the hardware store.

Although it is inexcusable some housewives never know how many pieces of bed and table linen they have or what proportion of it is in good condition. At the white sales during this month the stock should be replenished as far as possible avoiding doubtful bargains. Sometimes a pattern is going out of fashion, or a broken lot may be reduced a little in price, but as a rule no more is received than paid for. One cannot complain if table cloth and napkins prove to be half cotton or sheets and pillow cases are well filled with starch if bought at a bargain counter.

It is lack of thrift to allow a part of the dining room china to be used in the kitchen. Plain cups and plates cost but a trifle and no excuse remains for using the more expensive ware for working purposes. Thrifty housewives buy a stock pattern for the dining table and replace the missing pieces as important especially if the five year limit for keeping the pattern is nearly reached.



QUAINTLY STRAIGHT ARE THE VELVET FROCKS OF THE WINTER.

The modern maid have stepped out of her grandmother's picture frame with her little straight, short-waisted frock banded with fur and rounded out at the neck. Very little velvet is required for one of these little frocks. The pretty model pictured is of black velvet and opens all the way down the front over a panel and vest of dull green bengaline silk. Bands of black fox fur, cut from an old muff, form an effective trimming. The frock is short enough to show the neat walking boots with weighted tassels, may be clasped close to the throat in the street.

MOTIF FOR CORNER OF PILLOW, LINGERIE UNDERWEAR, ETC.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

"HE IS probably a nervous and high strung child," I suggested, referring to a youngster who had just had a tantrum and been sent out of the room.

I had hoped by this tactful explanation to soothe his father's displeasure, but strangely enough, my remark seemed to produce just the opposite effect. Across the father's face passed a thunder cloud of disapproval. "He is NOT," he affirmed vigorously, "and what is more, he isn't going to be told that he is. I am glad he didn't hear you say that. My wife said it once in his presence, but only once. I let her have her way about a good many things, but that's one matter in which I'm firm as Gibraltar. I will not have that child get the idea that he is nervous and high strung, and that that is an excuse for all kinds of misbehavior." "You seem to feel quite warmly on that subject," said I.

He laughed. "Well, I think I have reason to," he said, ruefully. "I lived in a family once where this talk of nerves went on all the time. The whole family had them except the father, and how I did pity that poor man, for his women folks didn't do much else except have nerves and talk about having them. His wife had nervous indigestion and one of the daughters had hysterical spells and another had all kinds of nervous feelings—sometimes she'd think she couldn't swallow and then again her eyelids would twitch and all that sort of thing—and when I came away the youngest girl was just about to have St. Vitus' dance. Of course, they weren't a very strong family anyway, but I think a good deal of the trouble was simply that they all heard nerves talked about so much that they had to have them. If I hadn't gotten out when I did, I think I might have had them myself. I can tell you my children aren't going to hear the word 'nerves' spoken if I can help it."

I wonder if my friend is going to succeed in carrying out his theory. If he does, I congratulate him and his progeny just as heartily as I know how. What one of us doesn't know families like the one which he described—families in which "nerves" with a capital N, are made a fetish. The children hear their mother tell with pride how nervous and high strung they are, and they naturally think of nerves as something to be proud of and nourished. Instead of as a cause for shame, like bad teeth, indigestion, or any other indication that we have transgressed the great laws of health.

Perhaps the children are none too strong to start with, and by-and-by, from having dwelt on the thought of nerves and nourished all the nervous symptoms they or their parents have been able to find in themselves, they come to actually suffer from the great American malady.

Whereas, if these children had never heard the word "nerves" spoken, had never heard "high-strungness" and "nervousness" drilled, they might have gradually grown away from any inherited tendency towards the neurotic temperament.

Now, please do not misunderstand me. I am not denying that many people actually are afflicted with nervous diseases and can't help it any more than people sick with organic troubles. I am not denying that much of the nervousness, the unlivableness, the blueness and discouragement in the world is due to diseased nerves, and can be cured only by building up a healthy body with healthy nerve centers.

But I do think that nervousness is sometimes used as a pleasant synonym for "cussedness." As Mrs. Molegari says, "In my youth, nervousness was usually called plain bad temper."

And furthermore, I believe that a great deal of unnecessary nervousness is stimulated and developed by allowing children to get the nerve thought, to hear nerves constantly talked about, and talked about not as a disease to be ashamed of, as we really ought to be ashamed of all disease, but as an interesting peculiarity to be paraded and exploited.



Thought for Today
By MRS. ROBERT M. LAFOLLETTE.
TRUE TO TYPE.
IN THE practical effort to maintain bodily proportion, we should not lay too much stress on Greek statues as standards. We are not Greeks, but Americans, with four or five ethnic stocks mixed in the blood. Any standard of feet and inches is misleading. Each woman must be true to herself, or at best, to her nearest type. I may admire the Venus de Milo or Power's Greek Slave, but if built on the plan of a Dutch peasant I better not waste my time trying to make my proportions conform to either. A woman who is naturally stout should not try to be thin, any more than one who is thin should try to be stout. But each should make the effort to keep her proportions from becoming abnormal.

There are two phases of flesh accumulation: one the general fleshing up of the whole body, the other the tendency to accumulate in special places, of which the most objectionable form is waist and abdominal complacency. One may take on considerable weight without serious discomfort or disfigurement, if evenly distributed, while someone who is not overweight may be out of proportion because of an accumulation about the hips and abdomen.

There are two means of reducing the flesh—diet and exercise. The theory of reduction by exercise is that it burns off the fatty tissue and prevents accumulation. The same exercise that reduces the flesh hardens the muscle. Disproportionate development of muscle is not attractive; but when the whole body is alive, under control, it is beautiful. In "Triby," Dr. Maurier says of "Taffy," the athlete, after stating that he had worked on many female models in many countries, "and never a sitting woman among them all could match for grace or finish, or splendor of outward form that mighty Yorkshireman."



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The KITCHEN CABINET

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MEATS FOR THE CHAFING DISH.

There are so many delightful and appetizing dishes of different kinds of meats that are so nicely served from the chafing dish.

Rechauffe of Beef.—Brown two tablespoonsful of butter, add three tablespoonsful of flour, and when well browned pour on gradually one cup of stock. Season with one-fourth of a teaspoon of paprika and a few drops of onion juice and a half teaspoon of salt. Add a cup of rare cooked beef, finely chopped. Cook one minute and serve.

Hash Balls.—Chop cold corned beef, cooked, and which has had the gristle and most of the fat removed. Add an equal quantity of cold boiled potatoes, chopped and seasoned with salt, pepper and onion juice. Moleton with milk or cream, make in flat cakes and cook in a hot buttered blazer. Brown on both sides.

Vienna Steaks.—Chop one-fourth of a pound each of raw lean beef and veal, removing all the fat and membrane. Season with three-fourths of a teaspoon of salt, one-fourth of a teaspoon of paprika, a little celery salt, a few gratings of nutmeg, a teaspoonful each of lemon and onion juice. Add one egg, well beaten; let stand several hours, then shape into small steaks. Put into the hot buttered blazer and sear on both sides. Cook six to eight minutes, turning frequently.

Crown one and a half tablespoonsful of butter, mix with pepper and salt and spread on the steaks.

Bean Rarebit.—Melt two tablespoonsful of butter, add one teaspoon of salt, paprika and a cup of cold baked beans, mashed; add one-half cup of milk or cream. When thoroughly hot add a half cup of grated cheese.

Devilled Almonds.—Wash and shred a half cup of almonds. Cook until brown, using enough butter to prevent burning. Mix two tablespoonsful of chopped pickles, a tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce, a fourth of a teaspoon of salt, and a little cayenne.

Nellie Maxwell.

DIET AND HEALTH HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN
Food Specialist

CAUSES OF PELLAGRA.

It was proved by thorough dietetic tests made by the state of Illinois, that pellagra is not caused by eating corn, as Professor Lombroso and other Italian authorities had concluded. Now experiments conducted by an Atlanta physician seem to lead to the conclusion that butyric acid caused by the fermentation of rancid fat is the cause—and it is well to note that butyric acid is developed in cooking of some fats, especially that of the peanut—and this conclusion is supported by many clinical cases quoted in "Clinical Medicine" by another physician, who found that many patients who suffered from pellagra had subsisted largely on corn and bacon. Corn contains a larger per cent. of fat than the other cereals and the Italian authorities concluded that the poor were especially liable because they used much spoiled corn meal. Another Atlanta physician, however, indorses the theory of Dr. Sambon, that pellagra is due to the bite of a fly, basing his conclusion largely on the similarity of conditions in Italy and in Georgia, where it has several times been epidemic. It has been fully established that there is no danger in fresh corn, but whether the conclusion that rancid fat is the cause is correct or not, it is well to note that rancid or highly cooked fat of any kind is to be avoided.

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Baking Helps

Learn to Regulate the Heat of Your Oven

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

There is just one way to make your cakes rise high and keep an even surface. Have your oven moderate at first; then increase the heat, so as to brown it over quickly. Extreme heat stiffens the dough. If you stiffen the outside of the cake before the rising is complete, you stop the rising process. Then the leavening gas, forming inside, will bulge up the center, where the dough is still soft, and spoil the shape of the cake.

Norise.—Biscuits or other pastries made from stiff dough, that are cut into shapes for the oven, bake in a hot oven. This is because the cut surfaces of the dough do not sear over, but rather leave the pores open, allowing the leavening gas to escape and the heat to penetrate readily. Small ovens cool quickly; therefore they should be made several degrees hotter than a larger oven, and the less the door is opened the better. Do not attempt to bake bread and pastry together. Bread requires prolonged, moderate baking—pastry the reverse.

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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—Oh well, Father is some pumpkins at the office anyway.

FRECKLES

By
Gene Stratton-Porter

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"He ain't lying," volunteered Wessner. "I saw that tree covered with butterflies and him watching around it when we were applying on him yesterday."

"No, he leaves lying to your credit," snapped Black Jack as he snatched the rope and pitched it across the room. "Remember that you're covered every move you make, my buck," he cautioned.

"Freckles! Freckles!" came the angel's impatient voice, nearer and nearer. "I must be answering," said Freckles, and Jack nodded. "Right here," he called, and to the men: "You go on with your work, and remember one thing yourselves. The work of the Bird Woman is known all over the world. This girl's father is a rich man, and she is all he has. If you offer hurt of any kind to either of them this world has no place for enough away nor dark enough for you to be hiding in."

"Freckles, where are you?" demanded the angel. Soul sick with fear for her, Freckles went toward her and parted the bushes that she might enter. She came through without apparently giving him a glance, and the first words she said were: "Why have the gang come so soon? I didn't know you expected them for three weeks yet. Or is this some special tree that Mr. McLean needs to fill an order right now?"

Freckles hesitated. Would a man dare lie to save himself? No. But to save the angel—surely that was different. He opened his lips, but the angel was capable of saving herself. She walked in among them, exactly as if she had never rubbed in a lumber camp and had been waited for in a number. "Why, your speckled one!" she cried. "Look! Haven't you noticed that it's tipped over? Set it straight quickly!"

A couple of men stepped out and carefully righted the case. "There; that's better," she said. "Freckles, I'm surprised at your being so careless. It would be a shame to break those lovely butterflies for one old tree. Is that a valuable tree? Why didn't you tell us last night you were going to take a tree out this morning? Oh, say, did you put your case there to protect that tree from that stealing old Black Jack and his gang? I bet you did! Well, if that wasn't a trick! What kind of a tree is it?"

ter, and Jack flushed crimson. The angel joined in the laugh. "Well, I'll leave it to you! Isn't he handsome?" she challenged. "As for that cowboy's face, it could be compared with yours. The only trouble with you is that your clothes are spoiling you. It's the dress those cowboys wear that makes half their looks. If you were properly dressed you could break the heart of the prettiest girl in the country."

With one accord the other men focused on Black Jack and for the first time realized that he was a superb specimen of manhood, for he stood six feet tall, was broad, well rounded and had dark, even skin, big black eyes and full red lips. "I'll tell you what!" exclaimed the angel. "I'd just love to see you on horseback. Nothing sets a handsome man off so splendidly. Do you ride?"

"Yes," said Jack, and his eyes were burning on the angel as if he would fathom the depths of her soul. "Well," said the angel wistfully. "I know what I just wish you'd do. I wish you would let your hair grow a little longer. Then wear a blue flannel shirt a little open at the throat, a red tie and a broad brimmed hat and ride past my house of evenings. I'm always at home then and almost always on the veranda, and, oh, but I would like to see you! Will you do that for me?"

The angel was looking straight into Jack's face, coarse and hardened with sin and careless living, which was now taking on a wholly different expression. The oval of it was softening and fading out under her clear gaze. A dull red flamed into his brown cheeks, and his eyes were growing brightly tender.

"Yes," he said, and the glance he shot at the men was of such a nature that no one saw it even to change countenance. "Oh, goodly!" she cried, flitting on her toes. "I'll ask the girls to come to see, but they needn't stick in. We can get along without them, can't we?" Jack leaned toward her. He was the charmed, fluttering bird, and the angel was the snare.

"Well, I rather guess," he cried. The angel drew a deep breath and looked him over rapturously. "My, but you're tall!" she gurgled. "Do you suppose I will ever grow to reach your shoulders?" "Lariat Bill used always to have a bunch of red flowers in his shirt pocket, and the red lit up his dark eyes and off his cheeks and made his splendid. May I put a bunch of red flowers on you?"

Freckles' eyes popped, and he wheezed for breath. He wished that the earth would open and swallow him up. Was he dead or alive? Since his angel had set eyes on Black Jack she had never even glanced his way. Was she completely bewitched? Would she throw herself at the man's feet before them all? Couldn't she give him even one thought? Hadn't she seen he was gagged and bound? Did she truly think that these were McLean's men? Why, she couldn't. It was only a few days ago that she had been near enough to him and angry enough with him to peel the hat from his head with a shot. Suddenly a thing came back with startling force. "You must take angels on trust." Of course you must! She was his angel. She must have seen. His life and what was far worse, her own were in his hands. There was nothing he could do but trust her. Surely she was working out some plan.

and peered up at him. Just as Freckles had seen the little yellow fellow do on the line a hundred times, and said: "Well, that does the trick! Isn't that fine? See how it sets him off, boys! Don't you forget the tie is to be red and the first ride soon. I can't wait very long. Now I must go. The Bird Woman will be ready to start, and she will come here hunting me next, for she is busy today. What did I come here for anyway?"

She glanced inquiringly about, and several of the men laughed. Oh, the delight of it! She had forgot her errand for him! Jack had a second increase in height. The angel glanced helplessly about as if seeking a clew. Then her eyes fell, as if by accident, on Freckles. "It's pretty risky for you to be crowding the wamp alone," he cried. "I know it's a little farther, but it's begging you I am to be going back by the trail."

The angel laughed merrily. "Oh, stop your nonsense!" she cried. "I'm not afraid—not in the least!" Freckles turned to Jack imploringly. "You tell her!" he pleaded. "Tell her to go by the trail. She will for you."

The implication of this statement was so gratifying to Black Jack that he seemed again to expand and take on increase before their very eyes. "You bet!" exclaimed Jack. And to the angel: "You better take Freckles' word for it, miss. He knows the old swamp better than any of us, except me, and if he says go by the trail you'd best do it."

The angel hesitated. One last glance at Freckles showed her the agony in his eyes. She would follow the trail. "All right," she said, giving Jack a killing glance. "If you say so I'll go back by the trail to please you. Good-by, everybody."

She lifted the bushes and started for the entrance. "Stop her!" growled Wessner. "Keep her till we're loaded anyhow. Can't you see that when this thing is found out there she'll be to ruin all of us. If you let her go every man of us has got to cut, and some of us will be caught sure."

Jack sprang forward. Freckles' heart muffled up in his throat. The angel seemed to divine Jack's coming. She was humming a little song. She deliberately stopped and began pulling the heads of the curious grasses that grew all about her. When she straightened she took a step backward and called: "Ho, Freckles, the Bird Woman! That natural history pamphlet returned. It belongs to a set she is going to have bound."

ed up in any dirty business. "I wish I was out of this," Freckles answered heartily. "I wish I was too."

Jack stared at him a minute and then broke into a roar of rough laughter. "Best if I blame you," he said. "But you had your chance. We offered you a fair thing, and you gave Wessner his answer. I ain't envying you when he gives you his."

"You're six to one," answered Freckles. "It will be easy enough for you to be killing the body of me, but, curse you all, you can't blacken me soul!" "I'd give anything," said Jack. "If I had my honesty," said Freckles. When the mighty tree fell the limberback shivered and screamed with the echo. Freckles groaned in despair, but the gang took heart. That was so much expected. Now, if they could get it out quickly they knew where to dispose of it safely with no questions asked. Before the day was over they could remove three others worth far more than this.

On the line, the angel gave one backward glance at Black Jack to see that he had returned to his work. Then she gathered her skirts above her knees and leaped forward on the run. In the first three yards she passed Freckles' wheel. Instantly she imagined that was why he had halted on her coming by the trail. She seized it and sprang on. The saddle was too high, but she was an expert rider and could catch the pelvis as they came up. She stopped at Duncan's cabin long enough to get out the wrench and lower the saddle, telling Mrs. Duncan the while what was happening and that she must follow the trail until she found the Bird Woman and to leave the swamp as quickly as possible.

The angel saw Mrs. Duncan started and then flew. Those awful miles of country! Would they never end? The bushes claimed her hat, and she did not stop for it. (To be Continued.)

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